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ISLANDERS REJOICE.

Fish Riches from the Waves.

Wrecked Steamer Minnehaha Disgorges Valuable Cargo.

Autos, Pianos, Tobacco, Food-stuffs, Clocks, All Go Overboard.

All Work Abandoned in Rush for Salvage—Cattle Swim Ashore.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)
HIGHTOWN (Scilly Islands) April 20.—The inhabitants of the rocky Scilly Islands were famous wreckers of primitive times, but they will forever remember this as the greatest day in their history. The Atlantic transport liner, Minnehaha, wrecked Monday disgorged part of her 17,000 tons of valuable cargo, casting it upon the waters all day long, to be gathered up by those who cared to take the trouble.

Farming and fishing were abandoned, and even school was dismissed, while the population of the near-by islands, men, women and children, devoted themselves to obtaining treasures from the waves. The salvagers decided to try to rescue the Minnehaha by cutting her in half in the same way that the White Star liner, Titanic, was cut in two near the Lizard in March, 1912, was saved.

LIGHTENING STEAMER.

Every effort to lighten the ship is now imperative. Today the waves beat up too high and strong for the tug to go alongside. Consequently goods were lowered from the forward hold as fast as the divers could get to the deck.

Huge cases, containing automobiles and pianos followed one another over the side, striking the water with great splash. Sewing machines and clocks went with them, while furniture floated everywhere. Many bales of cigarettes covered the face of the water and tons of cheap American novels drifted to the sandy shores of Bryher, where they were piled up like seaweed.

Tidings of the jettisoning of wealth spread early, and a host of fishing craft, luggers and rowboats scurried to the scene.

As fast as the cargo hit the water the enterprising boatmen pulled up the smaller cases while they took the larger ones in tow.

MACHINERY STORED.

Most of the machinery was taken from the wreck and transported to St. Mary's, where the customs officials took charge of it. It will be stored in warehouses, and later sold by the insurance companies.

Many boatloads of provisions were taken ashore by the islanders. The people of Bryher island fished out boxes of food, tea and tobacco and thousands of paper-covered novels, enough to keep the islanders in reading matter for a century.

Two hundred and twenty-four cattle swam ashore, while ten were drowned. The islanders think that it will be impossible to save the Minnehaha, and they look for the first strong wind to break her to pieces.

HOFFSTOT ARRESTED.

Warrant from Pittsburgh Charging Complicity in Council Bribery Matters.

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NEW YORK, April 20.—President F. R. Hoffstot of the Pressed Steel Car Company, at Schoonville tonight, four men were shot.

The shooting occurred at the corner known as "Bloody Angle," where half a dozen men were shot down in the strike riots last July.

One foreigner, unidentified, is in the hospital with injuries received when a train struck him while he was trying to escape.

The injured are Policeman James McDaniel, shot in the hip; Joseph Virok, shot in the thigh; and John Koski, shot in the arm.

Besides these, one man is carried to the hospital, and is believed to be the man who shot the strikers.

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Albert Wolter, New York youth, who maintained stolid indifference yesterday when trial for murder began.

ALBERT WOLTER A FACES EVIDENCE.

CHARRED FRAGMENTS OF SLAIN GIRL EXHIBITED.

Groswome Testimony and Hostile Faces in New York Courtroom Do Not Cause Visible Emotion on Part of Prisoner Charged With Brutal Murder of Ruth Wheeler.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)
NEW YORK, April 20.—No prisoner on trial for his life in New York courts is ever remembered to have faced such an array of hostile faces and heart-rending testimony with such stolid indifference as did young Albert Wolter today, when confronted with the charred fragments of the body that once was Ruth Wheeler, whom he is charged with luring to her death in his flat.

Philip O'Hanlon, a Coroner's physician, testified Ruth Wheeler had been attacked before she was murdered, and there still was life in her body when it had been soaked with kerosene, jammed up the chimney and set afire. He had found human hair not at the feet of the murdered girl, adhering to the burned fingers. Therefore he knew she had fought for help.

During the testimony, Wolter sat listlessly scanning the jurors, the groswome exhibits and his lawyer. He gave no sign of emotion when Adelaide Wheeler, 34 years old, said to bear an extraordinary resemblance to her dead sister, took the stand.

With perfect poise, the girl identified a braid of artificial hair that had been her sister's; bits of under-clothing that she knew by their texture, jewelry that Ruth had worn, and lastly, a seal ring engraved with Ruth Wheeler's initials, which was found on the body.

The prosecution will contend this evidence beyond the shadow of a doubt identifies which it has been thought that the defense would attempt to overthrow.

HUGHES PRESIDENT'S CHOICE.

He May Have Vacancy on Supreme Court Bench—Doubts About His Acceptance.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
WASHINGTON, April 20.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) President Taft has decided to leave the vacancy on the Supreme Court bench, caused by Justice Brewer's death, to Gov. Hughes of New York.

Members of the New York State delegation in Congress doubt whether Gov. Hughes will accept the appointment, and it is reported that the Governor, in the event of a vacancy in the chief justiceship during President Taft's administration, he would be appointed to that place.

Reports have been carried to the President that Gov. Hughes would probably accept an offer of this character.

Chief Justice Fuller is eligible to retire, but he enjoys good health, and so far as can be learned has no thought of leaving the bench.

PITCHED BATTLE.

FOUR MORE VICTIMS FOR "BLOODY ANGLE."

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MANY MINERS KILLED IN AWFUL DISASTER.

Women and Children Crowd About Mine In Which Forty Are Entombed.

Explosion at Mulga Coal Property in Alabama—Cause Unknown—Rescue Parties at Work—Hospital Train Leaves Birmingham—Cages Useless—Air Shaft Is Free—Single Telephone Line Out of Order.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
BIRMINGHAM (Ala.) April 20.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) An explosion took place tonight in the mine at Mulga belonging to the Birmingham Coal and Iron Company, and between thirty-five and forty men, at work in the place at the time, are believed to have been killed.

The explosion was of such force that the flames shot to a great height from the mouth of the shaft. The cages in the mouth of the shaft were so badly sprung by the explosion that they cannot be used. The shaft is not on fire and air is being pumped into the mine. The cause of the explosion has not been determined.

A request has been made of the Birmingham Southern Railway for its hospital car. It will be sent to the scene of the explosion from Bessemer. Ambulances were hurried to Mulga from Ensley soon after the news of the explosion reached here.

Mulga is connected with Ensley by one telephone wire, over which it is almost impossible to communicate tonight. The rescue parties are encountering great difficulty.

BRAWLEY WELCOMES TIMES HOMESEEKERS.

Trip Through Orange Groves to Apple Orchards of Beaumont and on to Irrigated Fields of Coachella Valley Delights Excursionists.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
BY SAM G. AUSTIN.

BRAWLEY, April 20.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) The Chamber of Commerce of Brawley and other representative citizens extended an open-air reception to members of The Times "Homeseekees" excursion party, this evening. A band composed of high school boys and girls played in front of the Hotel Bungalow, where a dinner was served to the hungry travelers.

In responding to the welcome of the Brawley commercial body, Col. W. H. Holabird of Los Angeles, referred to the enterprise of The Times in getting up such an excursion. He declared that the Imperial Valley farmers have made ranches for the expected increase in this country's population in the next few years, the speaker said, there must be a corresponding increase in the production of edibles. There was a large attendance at the meeting.

After a pleasant ride through the orange groves and orchards of Los Angeles and Riverside counties and an interesting trip through a stretch of country that shows the remarkable results of irrigation, the Times "Homeseekees" excursion reached Brawley this evening.

A reception and informal entertainment furnished by the citizens of Brawley furnished a pleasant desert after the other course of the day had been well assimilated.

The travelers left Los Angeles at 7:30 o'clock this morning. Many were acquainted before they started and those who were strangers soon became acquainted in the democratic atmosphere of a railroad train.

"I would not have missed the trip for anything," said one of the sightseers. "I have long planned to visit the Imperial Valley, but never seemed to find time for the trip. It is lots more fun when one can go with a party."

DELIGHTED WITH BEAUMONT.

After leaving Los Angeles, the first long stop was at Beaumont. The townpeople of this beautiful foothill city were on hand with automobiles and other vehicles.

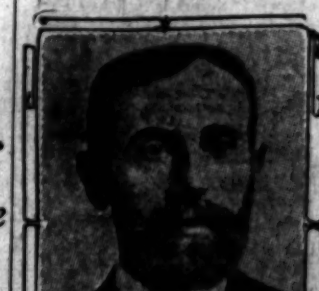
Trips around the city and to the fruit orchards were made. The excursionists were delighted with the views, the bracing mountain air, and the thrifty appearance of the little homes and orchards.

A ride to some of the older portions of the town, "that found itself," after a slea of a score of years, recalled to Col. W. H. Holabird the original founder of the town, H. C. Segler. Col. Holabird said:

"I helped Mr. Segler to organize the first great popular excursion via the Santa Fe and Deming route. Beaumont was the star object that Segler set before 150 persons that came on that excursion. It is a fine spot, neither hot nor cold, always clean and beautiful."

The town is on the crest of the divide and at an altitude of from 250 to 400 or 500 feet rises from that compare favorably with those from many better known fruit sections. The residents are confident of their future success and appear happy and contented.

When the train managers finally hustled the good natured crowd to slide down the grade, at Coachella the farmers and business men turned out to welcome the first-organized excursion that has visited the place. In rigs that ranged picturesquely from buckboard to hay rack and drawn by steers ranging from burros to spirited horses, the travelers enjoyed a delightful hour.



Loss of five million dollars.

LOSS FIVE MILLION.

Cold Damages in Ohio Valley.

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From cities in the Ohio Valley comes reports of heavy damage to berries and lighter vegetables, such as radishes, onions, beans, celery and lettuce. Early fruits like berries and cherries have been killed by the frost in several parts of the valley, especially throughout Kentucky and the southern part of Indiana.

Wholesale merchants of Cincinnati say that the products from these farms will not be half the ordinary volume this spring. Prices are therefore expected to mount pretty high before long. Agents in different parts of the country have wired here saying that they will not be able to ship more than half their former amounts this spring.

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Augustine Birrell, Chief Secretary for Ireland, addressing a meeting in London tonight, virtually revealed Premier Asquith's intention to ask the King to create new peers to override the House of Lords if that chamber rejected the veto resolutions, by declaring he knew of no other plan whereby the desired end could be attained.

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RAILROAD RECORD.
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Buildings for the mechanical and for machinery; new freight yard and Cleburne, Tex.; \$150,000

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STOCK INCREASE.

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CHICAGO, April 20.—At a meeting yesterday of insurance commissioners of a dozen States, and insurance officials from all parts of the country, a proposed uniform State law to regulate fraternal insurance societies was adopted. It is proposed to send the bill for adoption by every

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ED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.

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TUESDAY

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Los Angeles Daily Times

EVERYONE NEEDS S.S.S. IN THE SPRING

This is just a short talk which we hope will be of interest and help to you in selecting the tonic and blood purifier that will be of the greatest value to you this Spring.

That this is the most trying of all seasons on the health is a fact well known to us all. It is the time of year when our constitutions are required to stand the greatest strain, and unless properly cared for the foundation is often laid for physical disorders or disease later on.

Most persons, even those who are ordinarily strong and robust, feel the necessity of a tonic and blood purifier at this season. Some have no particular ailment, but are weak, debilitated and run-down. The Winter life, with its decreased amount of out-door exercise, and the fact that the cold weather has kept the pores of the skin closed, prevented the usual necessary amount of refuse and waste matter from being carried out of the system.

The general bodily weakness, tired, worn-out feeling, fickle appetite, poor digestion, etc., show how weak and anemic the blood has become. Frequently skin diseases, pimples, eruptions, boils, etc., break out on the skin, and this is evidence of the impurity of the circulation.

S.S.S. is the medicine needed to correct this condition, and is the only one on which you can rely to supply the system with the best tonic effects, and at the same time thoroughly purify the blood. The use of S.S.S. at this time may save you from a long spell of sickness, and it will certainly prepare you for the strain of the long, hot Summer.

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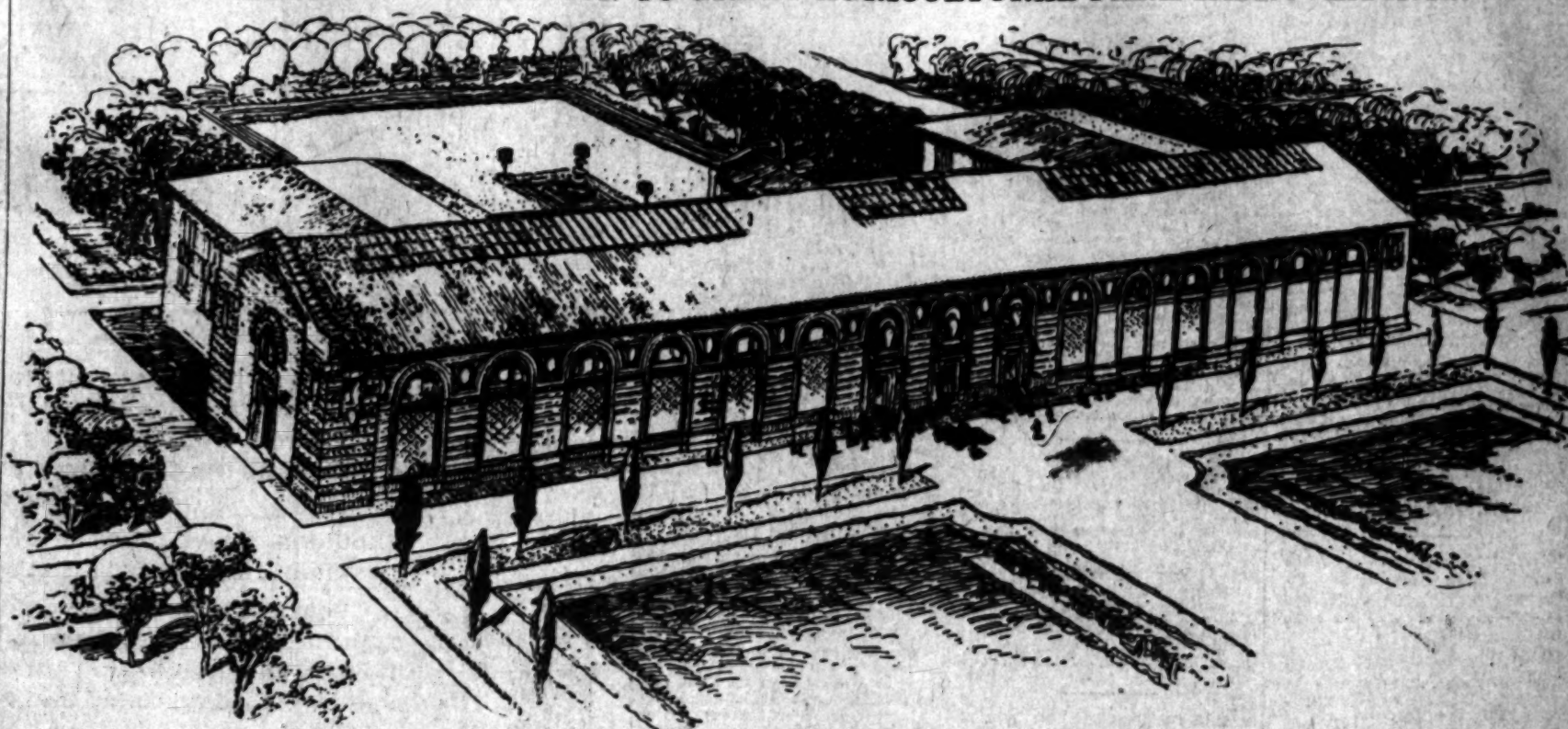
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The Times

LOS ANGELES

THURSDAY MORNING, APRIL 21, 1910.

CALIFORNIA'S CONTRIBUTION TO GREAT AGRICULTURAL PARK IMPROVEMENTS.



State Exposition Building, from a Perspective Received in Los Angeles Yesterday by W. M. Bowen, secretary of the association and "father of the project." The design is from the offices of W. D. Coates, Jr., State Architect, and N. Ellery, State Engineer.

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YOUNG WOMAN'S WITS DELVING IN MYSTERY.

Her Amazing Talent Shows in the Strange Case of Morgan Shiveley, Slain Conductor, Yet Not a 'Clew Appears—Suspects' Trial Soon.

LOS ANGELES young woman, with an amazing talent for mystery, has been employed by the District Attorney to help solve the strange case of the killing of Morgan Shiveley. Because of her family connections her name is withheld by the officials.

Her work in the case has been an expert examination of certain bloody finger marks which were believed to be an important clue. As the result of her examination the mystery has not been cleared up—only deepened.

With the trial of the two suspects, George A. Stone and his wife, only a week or so ahead, the detectives seem to be without a clue that really reveals anything.

The Shiveley case will probably be laid away as one of the unexplainable mysteries, and as one of the strangest cases in local criminal annals.

There are three theories: That Shiveley killed himself by jumping through a window while sleepwalking.

That he was killed by George A. Stone because of jealousy.

That he was murdered by Mexicans who were angry because they had been thrown off the Pacific Electric trolley car on which Shiveley was conductor.

All three theories seem to be about equally untenable.

QUERER CIRCUMSTANCES.

The circumstances of the case, as developed by recent investigation, were as follows:

Shiveley was a conductor on the San Gabriel line. He lived in a two-story cottage in or near Alhambra, with Stone and his wife.

RECORD-BREAKING TRAFFIC.

Santa Fe and Southern Pacific Passenger Business First Three Months of Year Greatest Ever.

Traffic on the Santa Fe and the Southern Pacific for the first three months of the year has broken all records. The Santa Fe lines west of Albuquerque totaled a car mileage of 16,000,000 for March, which is fully 2,000,000 car miles more than ever before made on the system.

Not only has freight and passenger service west-bound been greater than ever before, but the heavy crops of oranges and lemons that have been moving eastward have added to the traffic.

Materials for the construction of buildings and railway extensions have greatly added to the regular schedule, while the mail handled has been steadily on the increase.

As a result of the increased traffic, the 9000 cars that have been ordered by the Santa Fe, now being delivered, will not take care of the business in the near future, and additional cars and rolling stock must be supplied.

The Pacific Electric has also been putting new freight and passenger cars on the line, and the 300 and 400 type cars on the various suburban lines have not been enough to take care of the service and two and three-car trains of 200-type cars are used during the rush hours to aid the regular cars in handling the service.

These improvements, together with the \$150,000 Historical and Art Museum which will be built by the county from plans prepared by Hudson & Munsell, the elaborate parking, sunken gardens and playgrounds for which the city has appropriated \$100,000, and the race course and grand stand subscribed for by the Agricultural Park Racing Association, make up the bulk of the outlay for the park project.

The improvement of the entire 110 acres bounded by Santa Monica, Santa Barbara and Menlo avenues and Figueroa street, will cost well toward \$1,000,000.

The State Exposition building will stand near the old park entrance at Santa Monica and Wesley avenues. It will cost approximately \$250,000, and is designed along beautiful lines. It will be of a U shape, with the enormous frontage of 225 feet. The wings at the ends will be each 65x50 feet. The main part of the building will be a single story in height, being fifty feet from foundation to cornice. The wings which will be used for administration offices and lecture rooms, will be two stories high.

The building will be of steel-frame construction and similar structurally to the county's museum. It will be of brick with tapestry brick, terra cotta, and tile trimmings. The roof will be of Spanish tile. The approach will be by stone steps to a brick porch. Large arches will lead into the lobby, ornately treated in stone and marble. Mezzanine floors will be reached by marble staircases. The ceilings of the exhibition rooms will be open, leaving to view the roof trusses. The paneling will be in brick. Each window will be in the form of a fifteen-foot arch above this paneling. The floors will be of hard wood.

The main floor and the greater part of the basement will be given over to exhibition purposes. A large space will be reserved for each county in the State, and it is intended that the exhibits shall be truly representative in showing the best that California can produce in her varied fields of industry and the arts.

The building will be started as soon as the contracts can be legally awarded. Separate bids are being asked for steel construction, carpentry, brick and tile work and the interior fittings and appointments.

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STUDENT OF GARFIELD.

David Myers, a former resident of Pennsylvania, now living at No. 223 San Julian street, this city, celebrated his seventy-sixth birthday on Tuesday, surrounded by his children and other relatives and friends. Mr. Myers was a student at Hiram College, Ohio, in 1857-59, and late President Garfield and Lucetta Randolph, later Mrs. Garfield, were his teachers.

Mr. Myers relates many interesting anecdotes of the young Garfield, and recalls well the evening when his two teachers were united in marriage. He finds much delight in relating these things for the entertainment of his friends.

ARTISTIC.

STATE TO REAR STATELY PILE.

Park Exposition Building the Imposing Type.

Show Palace to Cost Quarter-Million Dollars.

Main Single Story Will Be Fifty Feet High.

A perspective, embodying plans for the State Exposition Building, one of the two structures which California will rear in Agricultural Park, was received in this city yesterday from W. D. Coates, Jr., State Architect, and N. Ellery, State Engineer. Designs for the great armory which the State will rear in the park are nearing completion at Sacramento.

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FEAR SERIOUS TROUBLE.

Man Charged With Making False Entries Fails to Appear for Examination, But Explains.

W. A. Vernon, who is charged with having made false entries in the books of the Malmoran Mines Company, a corporation, came near getting into serious trouble, yesterday, by failing to appear for examination before Justice Lmg.

A bench warrant for him was issued. Late in the afternoon he was found and taken to court. He explained to the satisfaction of the magistrate that he believed that another date had been set.

J. B. Rank is the complainant in the case. He contends that Vernon has made entries showing that he paid \$1850 to himself as salary, when he was not authorized by the board of directors to collect anything for his services.

EXPERIENCED.
PENITENTIARY
POET IN BAD.

THIS TIME HE'S CHARGED WITH VAGRANCY ONLY.

But More Serious Accusation May Be Made Against "Jimmie" Marston, Traveler, Philosopher and ex-Convict, for Alleged Swindling of Charitable Old Woman.

"Jimmie" Marston, poet, traveler, philosopher and student of social conditions, who, the police say, has served more than half his life in penitentiaries, was arrested yesterday by Detective Hosick on a charge of vagrancy.

Marston is held at the City Jail while his actions in Los Angeles are being investigated with a view to securing further evidence against him.

Marston is 44 years of age, and of neat and stylish appearance. He has been in Los Angeles many weeks on this latest visit. Several days ago Detective Hosick learned that an old woman on San Julian street had been swindled—or deceived—last night. He visited the apartment-house, and upon the information obtained there he arrested Marston.

"I had known this old woman for some time," said Hosick yesterday. "She is a gentle, kindly, Christian woman, whose heart is always open to those in trouble. She said Marston appeared at her house more than a week ago and asked for lodgings. He told her that he was working for the Edison Electric Company and was down on his luck. He asked her to give him a little change to get a start, and this she willingly did, supplying him with \$5 with which to buy a meal ticket and have his laundry done up."

"He put on a pair of overalls the next morning and apparently went to work. When he returned that evening he explained that he had lost his meal ticket and the woman advanced him \$5 with which to secure another. He went to work every morning in his overalls and returned, apparently tired and fagged out in the evening, and the woman did the best she could to help him along."

"When Saturday came he informed her that the company would not pay him until the next week because he was a new employee, and so she advanced him \$5 more to keep on through the week. He was occupying a clean, pretty room all the while. Monday he asked for \$250 more, and this was given him. Two days later he disappeared."

"The woman did not complain. She is a hard worker, but there is too much actual charity in her heart to cause her to complain. I learned of the affair and investigated. I found that Marston left her house every morning with his overalls on and that he spent the remainder of the day sitting on a bench in Central Park, smoking his pipe and talking politics. When evening came he returned home, put on better clothes and visited many refuge homes, where he took the platform and told how all men should work and how thankful he was that he could work."

"After making my investigation I locked him up on a vagrancy charge and am looking up his record here. He has served terms in various prisons, and according to his statement to me, has spent more than twenty-seven of his forty-four years of life in penitentiaries."

Marston seems to be of good education, and has written many poems worthy of consideration.



Mr. and Mrs. George A. Stone, suspects in the Morgan Shiveley mystery, who will soon be brought to trial.

headed off; then made a wide detour and led about a quarter of a mile down the road where Shiveley's nude body was found.

The officers were able to tell by the footprints that Shiveley had walked very weakly; he staggered sometimes from side to side. Several times he stopped. Once he leaned against a telegraph pole and slipped to the ground; managed to get to his feet, and staggered on.

The wounds found on his body were also strange—like everything else about the case.

The fingers of his left hand were slashed on the inside; such a wound as a man would have received by grasping the blade of a knife, or by pushing his hand against jagged broken glass.

In one arm was a small deep wound, which had pierced an artery; Shiveley had bled to death. It was a wound (Continued on Third Page.)

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THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Real estate men, who open subdivisions with private rights of way may find their subdivisions without water or sewers, if an opinion by City Attorney Hewitt is carried out.

The City Council will be asked to pass legislation to give the city authority to regulate the building of tunnels under private rights of way.

Adam Underwood, former private secretary to ex-Senator Clark, failed to secure an annulment of his marriage to Adeline Underwood. He will try again.

Public Administrator Bryson is looking for the daughter and sister of Arthur F. Marsh, who died at the Clara Barton Hospital Sunday, and was supposed to be a single man with no relatives.

Judge Wilbur yesterday decided that the Los Angeles Evening News is not a newspaper in the legal sense of the term. This will deprive the News of the official printing.

AT THE CITY HALL.

CALL HALT ON PRIVATE ROADS.

WATER COMMISSION DOES NOT HAVE TO JOIN MAINS.

Filing of Maps for New Additions Cause of Much Trouble to City Officials and Many Are "Turned Down"—Rights of Way Must Be Public.

The Water Commission thrashed out a matter with the Board of Public Works yesterday afternoon that has been a thorn in its flesh for years. It came to a head yesterday when the commission received a letter from Lawrence E. Burck, a real estate man, who wanted to know if the Water Commissioners will be satisfied to have maps of new tracts recorded with the indecumbent that lots, which otherwise would be streets, shall be reserved for private roadways, and allowing therein sewer, gas and water pipes, conduits for electricity, etc.

This looked like an innocent request, but inasmuch as it is the practice of real estate men to reserve these private roadways and later use them for single and double railway tracks, connecting up with the city water mains and laying pipes and conduits regardless of the requirements of the city, the Water Commission called a halt.

The Board of Public Works was asked for a ruling whether the commission has the power to refuse to serve water in case the water main is laid along a private roadway. The City Council and the City Engineer also are very interested in a decision of this question. The latter would like to know whether he shall permit private sewers to be connected with public sewers, and the Council whether railways can be extended indefinitely through these tracts without franchises.

City Attorney Hewitt, who was called in, said it is a principle of the water department that water shall not be served to consumers unless the department has public access to streets. The men who subdivide these tracts, it is stated, lay out streets in any old way and designate them with any old name, often by letters of the alphabet. All of which throws the City Engineer's department into confusion.

It requires a lot of time and trouble to properly map the subdivisions and record them, City Engineer Hamlin. It was stated, has been turning down map after map and waging a warfare with real estate men in order to have them lay out streets to conform with other existing streets.

PERMIT NOT NEEDED.

COUNCIL WILL LEGISLATE.

The much-mooted tunnel question has been decided in view of a recent decision of the Supreme Court in the case of the Colegrove Water Company against the city of Hollywood. City Attorney Hewitt, in an opinion to the Board of Public Works, yesterday declared the request of the Hamburger Realty and Trust Company for a permit to construct a tunnel in Broadway from the city of Hollywood to the city of Los Angeles, holds that the present city ordinance requiring a permit for this work is not valid. He recommended that the Board of Public Works should pass an ordinance regulating the manner in which property owners may construct tunnels under the streets in front of their property.

It seems that the ordinances passed by the city requiring a franchise for any pipe or conduit laid in any public street, and a permit to construct a tunnel, are not sufficient, under the decision of the Supreme Court, to cover the Hamburger case. There are other objections which might be raised against them. The ordinances imply the power to refuse the franchise or permit at discretion.

The city may, Mr. Hewitt holds, regulate the manner in which tunnels or conduits shall be constructed by property owners, who are, in view of the decision of the Supreme Court, not the owner of the soil to the center of a street; but any ordinance which empowers the Council to refuse to the owner of the soil covered by a street the right to occupy it in any manner not in conflict with the public use is unconstitutional.

The Supreme Court, in the case cited, held that the occupation of the soil under a street, so long as no public use is impeded, is a legitimate use by the owner and carries with it the right to make the necessary excavations. These excavations, however, may be restricted by the ordinance to the least interruption to the public easement.

There have been efforts in the past to compel parties constructing conduits to take out franchises; but notwithstanding the ordinance covering the matter, this work has been going on to a large extent. It is unnecessary for the law. As it is necessary for the city to have regulation over these excavations and conduits, the Board of Public Works will ask the Council to hurry up the proper legislation.

REPORT FOR DUTY.

JOBS ARE ABOLISHED.

Just as regularly as if they were on duty, the former inspectors of the Tax Collector's office report for work, and then depart with never a hint that they should have the office, inasmuch as their positions were abolished and no pay is coming to them. These men, Miss Shearon, Simmons and Chew, are said to contemplate a suit against the Tax Collector's office for their salaries, claiming that they were arbitrarily ousted, although in good standing on the civil service list.

Taxpayers confessed yesterday that they did not know why they should appear regularly every morning and ask for a check, and then find it empty.

their efforts will be fruitless. The positions they held no longer exist. And he added: "It is a pity if the city cannot regulate its own affairs, otherwise men would stay forever, notwithstanding that their services are not needed."

Want the Money, Too.

The Humane Commission filed a little peevish because it has no control over the balance in the fund. It would like to use this money, but City Auditor Myers informs the Finance Committee that because there is a liberal balance, it does not necessarily follow it belongs to the commission. There is an inference in his report that the commission should be satisfied with the fees, dog licenses, etc., which have been turned over to it, besides the entire equipment used by the Humane Animal League, which it succeeded, and which were not charged up to the commission.

For Park Purposes.

Nearly fifty property owners have petitioned the Council to acquire a strip of land lying south of Agricultural Park to the line of Santa Barbara avenue as proposed, and from Figueroa street on the east to Vermont avenue on the west; also the land west of Agricultural Park to Vermont avenue. It is desired to use this land for park purposes.

Electricity Popular.

Heavy orders for house wiring in the Western Addition has caused the City Electrician's department with work. For March the department issued 1475 permits, which is an increase of nearly 200 for the same period last year.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

HIS RELATIONS ARE MISSING.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR TRYING TO SOLVE MYSTERY.

Local Business Man Who Died Sunday and Was Supposed to Be Alone in World, Leaves Estate to Sister and Daughter Who Cannot Be Found.

Public Administrator Bryson is trying to solve a mystery. He is touching the wires in every direction, with a view to locating, if possible, Cleo Marsh, a daughter, and Jessie Squires, a married sister, of Arthur F. Marsh, for eight years an employee of the Union Hardware and Metal Company, who died of typhoid fever at the Clara Barton Hospital last Sunday.

It is supposed that W. W. Mussen, a relative of Marsh at Rio Lake, Wis., has Cleo Marsh in charge, and that Mrs. Squires resides in St. Louis, although no word can be had from either of them.

Marsh figured in the business life of Los Angeles. He had many business and social friends, but in all the time he had been here no one suspected that he had ever been married. He always kept to himself, and whatever secrets he had, none of his friends ever knew about them, until the death of the quiet, unobtrusive gentleman disclosed an oblique will among his effects.

He was not only supposed to be single, but none of his friends ever surmised that he had any relatives living; in fact, it is said that he went out of his way to have the impression abroad that he was entirely alone in the world.

But the will provided that his estate, estimated at between \$500 and \$10,000, should be divided equally between his sister, named above, and the daughters where telegraphic messages could be sent were given in the will. So far no answers have been received to frequent inquiries as to what should be done with the body of Marsh.

The old employers of the dead man are giving all the information in connection with the Public Administrator, to locate the heirs of Marsh, but it is possible that both are dead or removed from the addresses given.

EVIDENCE LACKING.

ANNULMENT DENIED.

If Judge Houser had only said "yes" yesterday, Adam Underwood, aged 35, a miner and former private secretary to United States Senator Clark of Montana, now residing at the Himman, would have had his marriage to Adeline Underwood annulled, on the ground that at the time of the ceremony the wife had a husband living from whom she had not been divorced.

All of the necessary proof in the case, it was imagined, was furnished the court, except the information that the wife had a husband living. The court said "No," and a deposition from Mrs. Underwood, who is now with her parents in San Francisco, will be furnished at that score, the case to be retried later.

Underwood was on the stand, and he testified that they were married in St. Thomas, Episcopal Church, New York, New York, July 25, 1908, and that he had not seen his wife since she left for San Francisco, in July, 1909, except by appointment at the office of his attorney. The witness declared that after they returned to Los Angeles his wife seemed to be continually worried about him, and that she had contracted, one amounting to \$1000, for dry goods, and she asked that she might be allowed to go to her old home in San Francisco with a view to settling up matters, if possible.

Underwood said he imagined from his wife's action that the bills were not the only thing giving his wife uneasy moments, and on their way to the Arcade Station, where she took the train for the north, he stated that she had married him when she had a husband living. He had not lived with her since.

At the time of the filing of the suit for annulment, the complaint alleged many sensational things, but all of this was eliminated in an amended complaint. It is understood that the marriage followed in New York a brief courtship aboard a transcontinental train en route east the summer of 1909, that it was the culmination of a lot of talk on the part of each as to their wealth, only for both to discover after the fact that the money, stocks, bonds, and so very numerous ranches, was of air, very hot air.

Underwood was much disappointed at his failure to secure relief at the hands of the court, but he still maintains a high opinion of some of the features of his wife's character.

"She is a remarkable woman," he said, "wonderfully gifted in many ways, and as weak as it is possible to imagine in others. But she is clever, all right."

COOK IS "ROASTED."

SUES, BUT IS BEATEN.

have everything spick and smooth about the house, ready for the reception of a company of house guests, and then have the servant get sore, throw hot water upon the master of the house, making him so mad that a Sioux war dance would be considered a mere incense.

That is what happened at the home of L. A. W. Johnson, a rich mining man, residing at No. 1610 South Figueroa street, in July last, when Johnson and his wife were preparing for a week's stay of New Orleans Elks, friends of the Johnsons.

But on Sunday morning preceding the festivities there was a strike in the Johnson kitchen, and after the wife had failed to conciliate the colored servant, Rosa Givens, Johnson himself took the matter in hand. He confessed on the stand in Judge Conroy's court yesterday that he lost his temper in the debate between the woman and himself, but alleged that he did not use a small amount of force until she had thrown a tea kettle full of scalding hot water over his shoulder and breast, and torn the shirt almost from his body. Then he admitted that he struck the woman, but claimed justification, by reason of her attack upon him.

Mrs. Givens asked damages in \$1000, and her testimony was diametrically opposed to Johnson's. She denied the charge that she was intoxicated, but said that Johnson had had a peeve on all that day and went about the house cursing her. The testimony was of such a contradictory character that the married men on the jury who no doubt understood at the turn of the servant's girl problem, returned a verdict for the defendant after deliberating just long enough to sign their names to the verdict.

NOT A NEWSPAPER.

LEGAL STANDING OF "NEWS." Judge Wilbur decided last evening the status of the Los Angeles Evening News as a newspaper. He holds that the publication is not a newspaper in the proper sense of the term. This will have the effect of prohibiting the moribund News from publishing the city printing, the contract of which has already been awarded to that publication.

Last summer, when the Evening News became involved financially, the publication of the regular paper was stopped, but since that time it was shown in evidence that a small sheet or what might be more properly termed a "bill-head," bearing the name of the paper, was printed, and it was alleged had some circulation. This was to preserve the status of the News and create the impression that its publication had never been suspended.

Judge Wilbur found that the alleged publication did not fill the letter of the law; in a word, that a handbill was not a newspaper.

BELL PERJURY HEARING.

PROSECUTION ABOUT CLOSED. The evidence in the case of Frank M. Bell, charged with perjury in swearing out a complaint against O. P. Widaman and A. R. Sanger, is about closed in Judge Davis' court, as far as the prosecution is concerned. The defense is expected to conclude by tomorrow forenoon.

BUSINESS CHANGES.

A petition was filed in the Superior Court yesterday asking for the dissolution of the Henry & Brown Motor Company. The stock of the concern is \$125,000, divided as follows: Henry & Brown, \$100,000; Herbert Brown, \$20,000; W. J. Clayton, R. F. Halsey and R. C. Fairall, subscribed, \$5,000.

CASE OF MUIR.

The case of Gerald F. Muir, who is trying to get from under a charge of violation of his parole, will be heard in Judge Wilbur's court today. Powerful influences are at work in behalf of the boy, who from the record, has often offended.

SECOND HEARING ON.

In Judge Bordwell's court the action brought by Charles Hill against the Eureka Planning and Loan Company, being heard by a jury. On May 10, 1929, the plaintiff was engaged in wrecking a building on Spring street, between Fifth and Sixth, when through the alleged negligence of the defendant, a partition wall was allowed to fall upon and injure him, and for this \$15,000 is asked. The action was tried yesterday, and Hill secured a verdict for \$2500, but it was set aside by the court on the ground that the jury had failed to answer the interrogatories put to that body in the instructions.

WILLS CASE.

The action brought by W. L. Wille against M. F. Wille, claiming the portion of the estate of John W. Wille, and having threatened to take his life. His trial was set for May 10 and he was released under \$500 bonds.

BEFORE JUDGE WILLIS.

Burt McDonald, charged with burglary, pleaded not guilty, and his trial was set for May 7. Charles Williams, charged with attempting to commit grand larceny, pleaded not guilty, and his trial will be set. A demurrer to the information was overruled.

WILL APPEAL.

Jason Woodyard will have the opportunity of appealing his case, Judge Davis yesterday refusing the motion for a stay of execution. Woodyard was found guilty of failing to support his minor children and sentenced to thirty days in the County Jail, being the first in Los Angeles to be convicted since the enactment of the law making his offense a felony. The appeal to the Appellate Court had been about perfected, but in the meantime Woodyard is serving out his sentence, and it will have expired, probably, before the matter reaches the higher court. In that case no action is likely to be taken.

DESIRE PROBATION.

A. H. Deering, against whom a complaint had been filed charging him with grand larceny, withdrew his plea of not guilty in Judge Davis' court yesterday, and asked that he be placed on probation. A petition for probation has been filed in behalf of Deering, and the matter will be disposed of Friday.

PRICE WILL.

The will of Vesey Price was filed for probate yesterday. It disposed of an estate valued at \$3,000. Under the provisions of the In-



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me to start supper, unless you turn on
the water?"

"Well, I like your nerve, turning off
my water when I always pay the rent
promptly."

"How do you expect me, to wash
dishes?"

"Say, I want to take a bath!"
"What did you do with the water."
I'm a temperance man, but if I can't
get water to drink, I'll have to take
something else; say, what's matter?"

These and a hundred other questions
were fired at the clerks in the water
department last evening just about
dinner time, by irate residents of the
northwestern part of the city.

The trouble was that the water supply
was cut off there. The big main
which leads from the reservoir at El-
ysian Park had burst, and for several
hours the hill district was "dry" in
the strict sense of the word. As soon
as the break occurred a gang of men
was put to work repairing it, but it
was 9 o'clock before service was re-
stored.

Had they only known it, most of the
people who were kicking had enough
water in the house to last them. Most
of the houses in that section are fur-
nished with hot-water boilers, and
these contain water enough to last for
several hours. But they didn't think
of that.

At Alpine and Grand avenue a small
fire started. The neighbors came run-
ning with buckets; but the buckets
were useless without water. Someone
turned in an alarm, and when the fire-
men arrived they fought the flames
with sand, managing to extinguish
them before serious damage had been
done.

At the Sisters Hospital, 130 patients
were left practically without water for
several hours. A small supply of dis-
tilled water was at the hospital, and
while this served for drinking, there
was not enough to cook with.

ON HIS OWN TRAIL.

Constable Nearly Has to Arrest Him-
self, But Finally Finds His
Double.

Constable Rice had a narrow escape
from being compelled to arrest him-
self on a felony charge, Tuesday night.
He escaped the clutches of the law
only by his ability to find his double.

Just as court closed, Giuseppe Chap-
pelle, eighteen years old, swore to a
complaint charging David Quirin,
twenty years old, with having be-
trayed him on New Year's night under
a promise of making her his wife.

"Give me a description of Quirin,"
the clerk told her, "and I will find
him for you."

She looked around for a moment and
then cast her eyes on the boyish face
of Rice. She stared at him for a
second and appeared as though she
"half" recognized him. Rice blushed.

"That man looks just like him," she
declared.

Rice's pink cheeks grew rosy. He
realized it would not do to arrest a
brave officer to retreat under any cir-
cumstances. He could not utter a word
of protest. The clerk was greatly
amused.

"Here's the warrant, constable," he
said. "Now it's up to you to go out
to find Quirin or come in and sur-
render yourself."

Rice barely waited long enough to
find his hat and then dashed out of
the door. He has not explained how
he learned where the young man was,
but in less than an hour he led his
prisoner back to the courtroom.

Quirin was arraigned before Justice
Pierce, yesterday. He furnished \$1000
bonds for his appearance for exami-
nation on May 5. It is likely that the
case will be dropped. The defendant
announced that he would marry the
young woman. The records at the
Court House show that he obtained a
marriage license.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are undelivered telegrams at
the Post office for W. E. Warner,
Mrs. W. O. Scholtz, E. S. Palmerston,
Mrs. R. H. Sylvester and H. C. Shaw,
and cablegram for Maison Marie.



Imported Leghorn Shapes Regular \$10 Values On Sale Today at \$5.00

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in picking up this lot, from a local job-
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value. Considering the quality of the
Hats—and the fact that the "Leghorn"
season is just beginning—this \$5 offer
is really remarkable. Sale begins this
morning.

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MURDER MYSTERY.

(Continued From First Page.)

that could have been made either by
a knife or a piece of glass.

The most significant feature of these
various facts was the print of the
bloody fingers.

The detectives felt that, if they
could find out who hurried that wash
basin through the window, whereby
Shiveley had apparently made a fran-
tic escape, they would have cleared
up a great deal of the mystery.

HIS OWN FINGER.

Here is where the finger-mark, ex-
pert came to the bat. Her examina-
tions developed the amazing fact that
the bloody fingers were those of Shive-
ley himself. The finger marks on the
window casing were also his.

The prima facie indications were that
Shiveley had hurled a looking glass
valise and a wash basin through the
window and then had fairly hurled
himself through.

These facts suggested the theory that
Shiveley, who is known to have been
a sleep-walker, came to his death
while he was in a nightmare.

This theory has been exhaustively in-
vestigated, and has not been aban-
doned. To believe that a man could
bleed all over a room until it looked
like a slaughter-house; smash a sink
and go crashing through a window
with such impetus as to carry away
the sink, and walk a quarter of a
mile and die without waking up, is a
pretty stiff dose to swallow.

The Mexican theory offered by the
stones seemed to be defective for the
reason that Shiveley, once out of the
house, would not have gone away from
the place where his friends who
would help him might have been
so terrified by the Mexicans who
entered the kitchen that he dashed out
of the window and ran away from
them. But his footprints show that he

could not run. He was so badly wound-
ed that he could only stagger slowly,
stopping from time to time to lean
against posts in his flight.

Whoever made the attack, Shiveley
did not go to the Stones for help. Also
a man attacked by murderous Mexicans
would not ordinarily wait to throw a
wash basin and a sink and a looking
glass out of the window before taking
flight.

A strong effort has been made to
hang the crime upon the Stones.
Very little satisfaction was had from
the people themselves.

Mrs. Stone is a fairly pretty, shrewd
young woman, with thin, tight lips.
They questioned her at length. When-
ever she got into a tight place she
closed her lips and refused to say a
word.

Her husband is a loose-jointed,
shambling Nebraskan.

He stuck stoutly to the story that he
heard the sound of a furious fight;
heard Shiveley yelling "murder," and
came downstairs to find him gone.

In one detail Stone's story was found
to be at variance with probabilities.
He described how he grabbed a re-
volver out of a bureau drawer in the
dining-room and fired to scare the rob-
bers. The bullet was found embedded
in a baseboard in the opposite direc-
tion from which Stone claimed to have
fired.

Shiveley would hardly have come
within range, however, either in the
direction that Stone claimed to have
fired, or in the direction in which he
actually did fire.

Although a man of sudden and vio-
lent temper, there is no apparent
reason why Stone should have killed
Shiveley. The amazing and pionic
bed-chamber arrangements of the fam-
ily did not indicate a very fiery jeal-
ousy on his part.

Every possible explanation of this
murder seems to be an impossibility.

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Estock, C. C. Harris, Maj. E. W. Cam-
bell, Hon. W. Henshaw, Mrs. Carl
Ruff, Matt Hoveck, Al Bresino, Mrs.
B. S. Pelzer.

In the Newhall District.

In the Newhall district the Standard
Oil Company is running seven strings
of tools, two on new wells and five in
cleaning old ones. This latter work is
being done in Elsmere, Pico and Wiley
canyons. The output of oil is being in-
creased somewhat, but none of the
wells will yield above fifty barrels
daily, and most of them are below that
figure. Twenty to thirty barrels is
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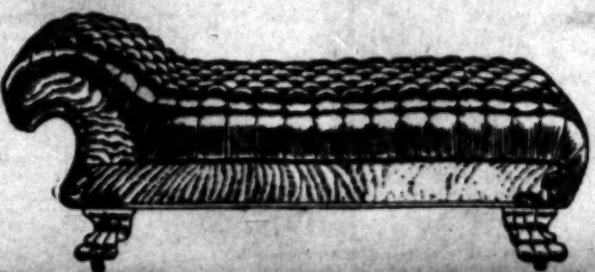
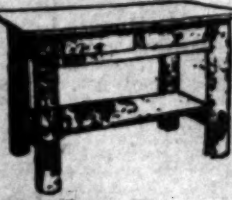
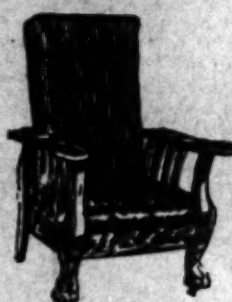
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DANGER SIGNALS.

A political cartoon titled "DANGER SIGNALS." at the top. It depicts three men, identified by labels as "SENATOR FLINT", "SENATOR ALARICK", and "SENATOR HALE", standing in a row. Each man is holding a sign that reads "I RETIRE". They are presenting these signs to a fourth man on the left, who is wearing a suit and top hat decorated with stars, reminiscent of Uncle Sam. In the background, there is a classical column with a cross-like structure on top. The cartoon is a black and white line drawing.

Buying Army Horses.

France and Germany have both horses in England while the latter admitted its cavalry corps in both horses that five or six Germans saw each horse. Stallions and mares are England for the use of foreign in-creasing numbers. In 1904 about were sent away, and in 1906 the creased to over 60,000. One reason tion is that while in 1904 there were horses under 1 year old in 1906 1907 the number had fallen to 10,000 alone there was a drop of nearly three years.

Youthful Marriages in England.

There are today in London, that city, some 14,000 married under 20 years of age. In England together there are 83,000 and statistics show that those who are in families marry at the earliest age. This linking of young persons to a parent marriage is the large number and boy husbands found in London and jails. In the prisons and detention houses are under age, many of the London husbands under 18 are not living with their wives. There are more reckless marriages in London, for while in the nation form 4.5 per cent. of the total population minors 13.5 per cent. In London minors supply 5.5 per cent. of the 18 per cent. of the total marriage.

A Mysterious Echo.

Such a peculiar echo heard in Court No. 1 at the Old Bailey has been called a ghost and uttered a speaker like a laughing voice in the tree. Every effort has been made to hear every soundless voice. Mr De Leon,

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DEVELOPMENT UNDER BONDS.

City Attorney Gives a Few Pertinent Facts.

First Step Will Be Approval by Eastern Experts.

Harbor and Power Issues in Practical Shape.

The voting of the \$2,000,000 harbor and \$2,500,000 power bonds, Tuesday, is an event which lays the foundation for and assures the future prosperity of Los Angeles, and its permanent position as a commercial port. This is the general sentiment and is the expression heard on all sides from thoughtful citizens. They go further. They say it is the dawn of a new era in this city. Los Angeles is in a position where nothing can stop it.

The election means that Los Angeles will soon be in a position to construct the power plant and the aqueduct. This, no doubt, will be the first improvement under the bond issue. The harbor improvements will follow. The scheme of these improvements will be the construction of public wharves, warehouses and docks, and the laying out of streets to the waterfront. And these streets will be laid out in such manner as to constitute harbor highways suitable for commercial traffic.

"The very first step at this time," said City Attorney Hewitt, yesterday, "will be to obtain the approval of the bonds by the bondholders, Messrs. Dillon, Thompson & Play of New York. Part of the necessary data has been forwarded to these experts and the rest will follow. The first step, after the bonds are approved, will be the manner of their issuance. The city made an option agreement with the aqueduct bonds with syndicate composed of a number of prominent New York bond houses, of which Kouts Bros. and Leach & Co. were at the head. The City Council has the disposition of the bonds."

POWER PLANS IN SHAPE.

The plans for the construction of the power plant are in such shape that the city can, as soon as the money is available from the power bonds, proceed with that work. This bond issue contemplates one power plant, capable of generating 2000 horsepower.

"The initial steps in the harbor improvements will begin shortly. The first move, as far as San Pedro is concerned, will be getting access to the harbor, which will necessitate some condemnation proceedings. These will be started just as soon as the necessary data can be put in form. The money for the harbor will be expended as needed. It is impossible to tell how much money will be required for any particular part of the harbor. The city is working now getting highways open to the waterfront for the extension of the harbor highways to the waterfront. The existing streets will be used as far as possible and will be improved out of this bond money in a good, substantial manner."

LIGHTING WILL BE CHEAP.

The power plant means that Los Angeles has within its power to be the cheapest and best lighted city in the world, owning its own municipal lighting plant. It will also be able to furnish power for industrial purposes here, and at a rate that will be of tremendous encouragement for industries to locate here. Electricity will be supplied to homes, and we shall have our streets lighted with our own production. We have the power under the charter to operate a plant for supplying the inhabitants with electricity.

"The new harbor will open the way by which the docks, wharves and warehouses can be completely under municipal control, and by means of which commerce will be moved to San Pedro and Wilmington. The power plant will be a revenue producer as well as a public benefactor; the harbor improvement, well—it is a subject which speaks for itself, and it means everything for the future development and prosperity of Los Angeles."

These sentiments were concurred in by leading citizens everywhere, who are immensely pleased that the people of Los Angeles seized the opportunity to bring about one of the greatest things in the history of the city.

NO TRACE OF HUGHES.

Officers Seek Missing Groom in Vain, While His Bride Is Prostrated With Grief.

No trace has yet been detected of Thomas Hughes, a private detective, who disappeared from his home Sunday afternoon, less than twenty-four hours after his marriage to Miss Cora Beck of No. 71 West Second.

Detectives from the Nick Harrington agency, where Hughes had been employed for more than three weeks, and city detectives, sought Hughes in vain. Half a bottle of beer, under analysis by the City Chemist, has thus far failed to show any mineral poisoning, and the tests for vegetable poisons have not yet been applied.

Hughes' companion believes that the young man wandered away from home, following an attack of stomach trouble, and that, while in a semi-conscious condition from the effects of this attack, he met with foul play from men who had threatened to do him harm.

The bride is prostrated with grief.

FORMER ANGELENO.

Young Soldier Shot by Military Guard at San Francisco, Son of High School Graduate.

It is learned that the young soldier, George F. Collins, who was shot and killed by a military guard on the army transport wharf at San Francisco on Friday, was the only son of Mrs. Jessie Overman Collins, formerly of this city, but now a widow, and for many years a resident of Flagstaff, Ariz. It appears that George was under 21 years of age, and having enlisted under an impulse, while away from home, became homesick for his mother and deserted, and steps were under way for his pardon. An investigation is to be made by the military authorities, into the circumstances surrounding his death.

Mrs. Collins is a graduate of the Los Angeles High School, of many years ago, and will be well remembered by many of her former classmates, who still reside here, and who are filled with sympathy for her in her great bereavement in the loss of her only son.

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DEATH FROM FIST BLOW.

Finding of Coroner's Jury Results in Manslaughter Charge Against Young Man Who Struck.

A verdict of death from a blow on the temple inflicted by Elmer Dumbauld, during a quarrel, was returned by a Coroner's jury yesterday in the case of Charles McMillen.

A charge of manslaughter was filed against Dumbauld in the Police Court late in the afternoon, and his bail fixed at \$1000, which he was unable to supply. He is just 19 years of age, and has been a fellow-employee with McMillen.

The body will be shipped to relatives in Liverpool, O., for burial.

A LITERARY EXCURSION.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.

LONDON, March 30.—In the thick and thin worship of their literary hero, Burns' lovers seem to outdo every other class of admirers. Forty years ago the crowd fought for punch in the case of Charles Dickens sale.

Though Robert Burns has been dead nearly 114 years, his cult shows no abatement of worship. His relics are sacrosanct. Manuscripts of his poems fetch thousands of dollars. Five years ago the market went wild over his family Bible when it was offered at Sotheby's. Dealers from Edinburgh, engineers from Glasgow, and many Highland farmers fought Mr. Quaritch, a famous collector of Burns relics, and found a second Flooded. Yet after he had bid \$7500, he generously released the relic, and it now reposes in the Burns Museum at Alloway.

A few days ago in the same room, the poet's old mahogany desk came up; the catalogue described it as a bureau. It is a shabby piece of farmhouse furniture, three and one-half feet wide, usefully drawered and pigeon-holed. At Ellisland of at Dumfries Burns wrote upon it many a memorable lyric, such as "Scots wha hae!" and "Auld Lang Syne." His widow, Jean Armour, kept it in memory of her man. Through various hands it went to Miss Annie Burns of Cheltenham. Of unimpeachable pedigree, this relic aroused keen interest in the bidding opening with an offer of \$250. Mr. Quaritch again fought his opponents to a standstill, winning the relic against the auctioneer's clerk, who apparently had a private commission, at the great sum of \$3000. Just before, Daniel O'Connell's black oak writing desk found nobody willing to go beyond \$5. A sloping desk used by Charles Dickens in his study went for \$65, and a working-cabinet of William Blake, the poet-painter, for \$150.

Thomas Hardy, Maurice Hewlett and Bernard Shaw make an oddly assorted trio, and it is delightful to find them banding themselves together in their capacity as office holders in the Society of Authors to make a determined stand against the rapacity of publishers. That the society, which includes more than half the three or four thousand authors in the country, is making its power felt has been evidenced by the recent request from the Publishers' Association for a more harmonious relationship between the rival crafts. At the last meeting Mr. Hewlett drew attention to the honor the society had done itself by the election of Mr. Hardy as its president in succession to Lord Tennyson and George Meredith. Shaw observed that, in spite of their prosperity and increasing numbers, more members were needed. A great many members, he complained, appeared to proceed on the assumption that the society did not exist.

"Their idea of joining it," he said, "is that the process is something like the rite of confirmation. Apparently they have never heard of the secretary. It is important that this state of things should be rectified without delay, in view of the monstrous agreements often drawn up by publishers and signed by unsuspecting authors without any preliminary reference to an expert authority."

The future of the novel is the most absorbing that is now exercising the attention of the book world. To most publishers the prospects seem to look gloomy in the extreme; and those who are doing well are well off are reserved about their success. The general scramble to secure any author who has a big following makes boasting of this score a dangerous luxury. Therefore, the uninitiated listening to all this pessimism come to the conclusion that novel writing as a means of livelihood is approaching extinction.

There is also an English fable that the sale of novels is almost exclusively restricted to the libraries. It may be true in the case of a certain type of novel, which is manufactured to meet the demand of library subscribers, but there are many other names that are not household words who are making incomes larger than the salaries of Cabinet ministers.

They are not the strivers who are discussed at the dinner table or at literary gatherings; their works would probably be quite unknown to the readers of Meredith and Henry James. The most successful exponent of this school was the late Allen Tate, or Mrs. Puddlehead, as she was called in private life. Her sales easily eclipsed those of Miss Corelli, but I doubt if her stories were in much request at Mude's or The Times Book Club. Approaching her readers, however, are several authors still actively engaged in catering for the same sections of the community.

Chief among these is Charles Garvice. He is a prolific writer of domestic love stories whose plots sustain their interest to the last word. Whether they are good art or not is outside the present consideration; at any rate his sales are prodigious. In sixpenny form alone, I understand, he sells nearly a million copies a year, and he makes, perhaps, three times as much as novelists who are paragaphed and interviewed in the press of both hemispheres.

Another of the popular purveyors of fiction is Mrs. Marie Corneil Leighton. She is probably one of the most rapid writers living. Indeed, she stated quite recently that the composition of a million words per annum did not distress her. The greater part of her earnings comes from serial rights, but collectively they represent a most enviable income.

The Baroness Orczy must be mentioned among those who repudiate the theory that no one will buy a novel. Over 50,000 copies of her story, "The Elusive Pimpernel" were sold in the 15th form. Putting her royalty at 35 cents a copy, which would not be excessive, we have the nice little sum of \$17,500. To this the receipts from the cheaper edition have to be added.

The Countess Vera de Tallyrand, a well-known social leader in Paris, has just prepared a surprise for her wide circle of friends of having printed for private circulation a little book of anagrams of life and love entitled "Thoughts and Remembrances." The following epigrams from this little work are representative of the Countess's delightful cynicism:

"When a woman loves she pardons even crime; when she ceases to love she does not forget even virtue."

"The coquette takes her desire to please for her need to love."

"A woman is like an army; she is irretrievably lost if she has no reinforcements."

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PERSONAL.

Thomas A. Johnson, who has mining interests at Williams, is at the Van Nuys. Mrs. Johnson accompanies her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cheney and Miss Ethel Patton form a party of San Francisco automobilists registered at the Alexandria.

S. F. Giffen, chosen to represent the mining interests of Fresno in the Rainier Day campaign in Los Angeles, is at the Hayward.

J. G. Campbell, a lumberman of Eugene, Or., is one of the recent arrivals at the Angelus.

E. W. Wilson and wife of San Francisco, are at the Nadeau. Mr. Wilson is a restaurant owner in the north.

M. P. Cannon, owner of large herds of cattle at Canaan, is registered at the Hollenbeck.

A tourist party at the Alexandria is made up of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McCord and daughter, Isabel, of Greenwich, R. I.

W. Schalk, who has land interests near Solaris, Mex., is a guest at the Nadeau.

J. S. Sayler, a mining engineer of Los Angeles, is passing a few days at the Hollenbeck.

A. K. Brown, an oil operator of Titusville, Pa., who has been visiting the new California fields, is registered at the Angelus.

Eugene Hess and Ernest Scharf of Frankfurt, are tourist guests spending a few days at the Alexandria.

Frank Adams, a dentist of New York, is occupying apartments at the Lankershim. He is a mining man of Turlock, Colo.

J. Kashet, who is making a trip around the world, is at the Hayward from Berlin, his starting place.

A. L. Nelson, a railroad contractor who has been building a line in Mexico, is registered at the Nadeau from Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Smithers and Mr. and Mrs. S. Van Fleet are guests at the Hollenbeck. The men are orchardists at the new California fields.

Frank Leake, accompanied by his wife, is passing a few days at the Angelus. He is a Philadelphia furniture manufacturer.

Charles E. Sumner, an attorney of San Diego, accompanied by Mark Roberts, is a guest at the Van Nuys.

Dr. H. N. Atkinson and E. L. Lachman, who have mining interests at Dolores, Mex., are registered at the Alexandria.

J. S. Russell of Fremont, O., is a manufacturer of wheelbarrows.

A party of oil operators of Bakersfield, registered at the Angelus, is made up of F. M. Clarke, E. Wassen and G. W. Metcalfe. Mrs. Metcalfe is also one of the party.

Frank Dobbs of Albuquerque, arrived yesterday at the Hollenbeck. He is a horse raiser and twelve cars of horses from his ranch are in the city.

L. G. Cardinal of Montgomery, Ala., one of the pioneer marketers of the South, accompanied by his wife, is at the Lankershim. He is a maker of hardware.

Pierre Danco, a commercial traveler of Brussels, accompanied by A. Nicholas Waa and Miss A. Jansen, is occupying apartments at the Alexandria.

Mrs. Alexander R. Shepherd, wife of a mining operator of Batopilas, Chihuahua, accompanied by her children and several servants, has taken a suite at the Van Nuys.

T. C. Morehouse of San Francisco, is a guest at the Hayward. He is Pacific Coast superintendent for the McMillan Publishing Company of Chicago, and is here on business.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Dean, William Dean of Chicago, Mrs. R. E. Bickham and Mrs. A. N. Eaton of St. Louis, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Jamison of Corona, and all are at the Van Nuys for a few days.

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The Redlands and Yucaipa Land Company has recently closed a deal with the South Mountain Water Company, giving them, in addition to their already large water supply, all of the water of Potato Canyon, formerly owned by the South Mountain Water Company, at present flowing in 200 inches, having an estimated value of \$200,000, a \$30,000 pipe line and \$80,000 worth of additional high-grade apple land.

THIS is one of the most important water deals ever consummated in the State, and Yucaipa Valley one of the best-watered valleys in the State.

Those who have already bought land in the Valley will get the benefit of this deal in one dollar additional expense. The prices of land will remain the same for a short time. The Company completes its 20-inch pipe-line now in process of building, to carry this water to the apple orchards and Yucaipa City townsite.

Get in touch with the Yucaipa Valley project, the most active and best-selling land project in West. First, last, and all the time, we ask you to visit the Yucaipa Valley and see for yourself a tract of land comprising 11,000 acres that is as near perfect for pleasant and profitable homes as it is possible to find anywhere on earth. We court the strictest possible investigation of the soil, water and climate conditions. The soil is especially adapted for apples and all other deciduous fruits, and all kinds of tables.

OVER \$50,000 WORTH OF BIG RED APPLES WERE SHIPPED OUT OF THE YUCAIPA VALLEY LAST YEAR. For years past this portion of land has been rented for apple farms at an annual rental of \$25 per acre per year, thus giving you a comprehensive idea of how valuable this class of farming can be conducted.

The Yucaipa Valley is surrounded by mountains, affording absolute protection from the winds, and are so prevalent in some sections of the country. The altitude is over 2000 feet, and the climate conditions are perfect.

It is a difficult matter for us to convey to you in an advertisement the beauties of climate, scenery, and the exceptional attractiveness of the Yucaipa Valley, but we urge you to visit us and draw your own conclusions from an unprejudiced standpoint. For home-seekers, or for investment, the opportunities in the Yucaipa Valley are exceptional.

WHAT WE HAVE DONE.

The official opening of the Yucaipa Valley occurred February 8th of this year. Since that time a portion of the land has been platted and a great many tracts sold. Over 200 acres of apples have been planted by purchasers. The town of Yucaipa City has been laid out, palms and two streets graded, and other improvements made. Water has been piped to all of the land sold. A 30-room hotel has been constructed, and will be formally opened April 20. Several storehouses have been constructed; a part of them are occupied and others will be occupied soon.

WHAT WE WILL DO.

In addition to what has already been accomplished in laying out and establishing the townsite and division Number 1, the Company is now installing a permanent 20-inch pipe-line to carry the water of Potato Canyon recently acquired from the South Mountain Water Company to a portion of the land. This pipe line will soon be completed. A large reservoir will be built to store this water. Other portions of the land will be platted shortly, and it is the intention to construct a line of railroad from the lands to the Valley, thus affording quick transportation between Redlands and Yucaipa City, a distance of 84 miles. Every improvement that can be made for the benefit of settlers and investors in the Valley will be carried out as fast as possible.

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Arrangements can be made for planting and caring for orchards at a reasonable charge. We will assist you in every way possible to find out exactly what we have to offer, and to investigate every part of the proposition, and unless we can prove to your satisfaction that we have exactly what you want in every way we will not even ask you to buy. Come and see for yourself. Make up your mind to investigate the Yucaipa Valley. In case you cannot come, write today for free literature.

THE MEN BEHIND THE ENTERPRISE.

With all its wealth of soil, scenery, water and climate, even the Yucaipa Valley could not forget its success to which it is entitled, without sound, conservative, sensible business management. Each and every man behind the enterprise has been most carefully selected because of fitness for the position.

The Officers and Directors Are As Follows

B. B. Harlan Orange Grower and Capitalist. Director of Citizens' National Bank, Redlands, Cal. President and General Manager.	J. H. Logie of the old, reliable firm of Dike & Logie, Real Estate and Investments, Redlands, Cal. Secretary.	E. M. Lyon of I. L. Lyon & Sons, Orange Growers and Shippers, and Shippers, National Bank, Redlands, Cal. Director.
M. N. Newmark Capitalist and Extensive Land Owner, of Newmark Grain Co., Los Angeles, Cal. Vice-President.	H. H. Ford Orange Grower and Capitalist, President of Redlands National Bank, Redlands, Cal.	G. A. Atwood Capitalist and Extensive Land Owner, San Bernardino, Cal.
		A. N. Dike Orange Grower, of Dike & Logie, Redlands, Cal.

The above men are the originators of the Yucaipa Valley project. They have all invested large sums of money in it. They are backing the enterprise with their experience and judgment, and each and every man is working for its success. Each and every officer and director of this Company is working for and is interested in its success. They are not dummy directors and no dead timber on the Board.

OUR REFERENCES

As to the general standing of this Company, and the men behind it, we refer you to any one, or all, of the banks as follows: The Citizens' National Bank, Redlands National Bank, First National Bank, any banker, any responsible business man or business firm, and to Dun and Bradstreet's commercial agencies.

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his animals at regular intervals, those
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being slaughtered at once. He has
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scheme among his workers, and now
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reaping the fruits of his own toil.
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high forehead and "stoop" of the scholar.
He is an ardent follower of all
country pursuits, but not buried in
his still more beloved laboratory.
His wife is a sister of Arthur Bas-
four, and he has three sons, one of
whom has inherited his father's tastes,
and has invented a radium clock which
is said to be able to go for 2000 years
without being wound up.

SERIOUS. WOMAN ACCUSES A WATCHMAN.

MEXICAN CONSUL INVESTIGATES
SHOOTING AFFRAY.

She Says Man Committed Assault on
Her and Riddled House With Bullets.
San Bernardino Resident De-
clares: Hunters Are Slaughtering
Many Deer in Mountains.

SAN BERNARDINO, April 20.

John A. Magill, for many years night
watchman at Colton, was taken into
custody this morning, charged by Gre-
gorio Barcoña with a serious offense.
The arrest was made at the instance
of Antonio Lozano, Mexican Consul
at Los Angeles, who, with his attorney,
H. H. Appel, has been investigating
the case for many weeks. The trouble
grows out of a visit Magill made to
the Mexican settlement at South Col-
ton. A pistol fight followed, in which
Magill was slightly wounded in the
arm, and the home of Mr. and Mrs.
Barcoña was actually riddled with
bullets. The family escaped by lying
prone upon the floor.

The Mexicans made a demand for
Magill's arrest, but were refused a
warrant, and Magill then had one of
the Mexicans arrested, charged with
assault with a deadly weapon. The case
was dismissed at the preliminary ex-
amination before Justice of the Peace
Hanna of Colton, on recommendation
of Dist. Atty. Byrne.
The Mexicans took the matter up
with Consul Lozano at Los Angeles,
who not only secured a transcript of
the testimony given at the preliminary
examination, but also made a personal
investigation, and decided to appeal to
the Washington authorities unless he
could get the District Attorney to act,
but the latter readily consented. Con-
sul Lozano had the woman swear to a
complaint.

She alleges that Magill forced his
way into her home and assaulted her,
and when he returned to the house
later her husband refused him ad-
mittance and the shooting followed. It
is also intimated that other whites
were with Magill on his second visit,
and joined in the use of firearms. Ma-
gill and his friends deny the allega-
tions, and account for them on the
ground that Magill had been a fearless
fighter, and the only office Colton

the Mexican residents of South Col-
ton from shooting up the town.

RACE FOR PRINCES.

Miss Lena Johnson of Hialeah is lead-
ing in the Indian Princess race in con-
nection with the centennial celebra-
tion to be held here in May. As a
close second is Miss Rose Aguirre, who
has frequently occupied first place.
May G. P. Slett, who has charge of
the Princess's throne, states that real
rocks and trees will be used in creat-
ing the desired effect of mountain life
which will surround the throne. In
this effort real pine trees will be em-
ployed.

WOULD PROTECT DEER.

Robert L. Strong has just returned
from an extensive tour of the moun-
tains, and states that there is every
reason to believe that the deer are be-
ing exterminated, and unless the deer
season is closed for a number of
years the animal will soon become ex-
tinct. He found a number of carcasses
which, though decayed and hard as
leather, showed bullet holes, and in
two instances legs had been bitten
off by bullets. He is of the opinion
that over half the deer fired at and
not secured are wounded and die in
agony in inaccessible places.
Strong believes that only
people who know how to shoot to kill
should be allowed to pack rifles in the
mountains.

WOMAN SELLS LIQUOR.

Mrs. Rose Cooper, proprietor of a
public house, was arrested today and
fined \$50 for conducting a place where
intoxicating liquors are sold. The ar-
rest grew out of the shooting of Wil-
fred Wiley by George Tuppin. It de-
veloped that Tuppin was intoxicated
at the time, and stated that Mrs.
Cooper had supplied the liquor. Two
males in the house corroborated this
statement. The arrest will lead to a
campaign against similar practices in
other public houses. The police drag-
net has been out for several days,
and wholesale arrests are anticipated.

LOWE DROPS IN RACE.

Runs Three Miles and Then Falls Ex-
hausted and Is Carried from
the Field.

William Stanley defeated Fred Lowe
last night in a five-mile foot race held
on the track at the Mammoth rink.
Stanley's time for the five miles was
25m. 20s.

Although Lowe has a good record as
a distance runner he did very poor
work at last night's exhibition. At the
start of the race Stanley had
lapped him four times on an eighteen
lap track. Lowe lasted just one-half
lap farther, stumbling and falling to
the floor completely exhausted. He had
to be carried from the track, and it
was several minutes before he had re-
covered sufficiently to stand.

Lowe is the boy who won the Mar-
athon held at the Shrine Auditorium
two years ago, but since that time he
has been having trouble with his stom-
ach, and it was this which caused his
failure last evening.

This morning Stanley will leave for
San Francisco, where he will meet sev-
eral runners from the northern part
of the State.

CHERRIES EARLY; COME HIGH.

Nine dollars was the price paid for
the first box of cherries arriving in
Los Angeles yesterday morning. The
fruit came in a test-pound box. It
was shipped from Courtland by E. A. Gam-
mon to the Rivers Brothers Company
and was sold in turn to the Alexandria
Hotel. The cherries are ten days
earlier this year than last, according
to Mr. Huber, of the produce company,
and the price is higher than any ever

MUSIC AND STAGE.

(Continued From Fifth Page.)

belmer," and it is probable that they
will continue the piece for still another
week. The worth of their company,
their orchestra and the real acting of
C. William Kolb are telling.

Every young woman who aspires to
theatrical honors—and most young
people are predestined to stage fever
as surely as the mumps—will find
reason to hope in the record of Grace
George, who comes next week to the
Mason Opera House.

Ten years ago Grace George had
acted only as an amateur. She was
born in Brooklyn. While she was
still a child she manifested an interest
in the histrionic art that made her the
inspiration for the founding of a ju-
venile company of which she was the
head. With this company she worked
some time, so improving herself that,
after an interval spent in a convent,
where she received her education, she
successfully applied to Charles Froh-
man.

Her debut, accordingly, was made
under the direction of that manager in
a farce called "The New Boy." Her
impersonation in this piece brought
her newspaper praise, and so com-
pletely satisfied Mr. Frohman that she
was re-engaged the next season to
play "Amee" in "Charley's Aunt." She
might have remained with Mr. Froh-
man indefinitely, had not an order
from Auguste Van Biese held forth
the tempting bait of big type and
other inducements generally included
in contracts under the word "featur-
ed." Miss George created the role of
Gretchen in "The Wandering Min-
strel," and scored the deepest impres-
sion of her brief career. About this
time, variety came to her metamor-
phosed into vaudeville, and the con-
sequent growth of salaries in the con-
tinuous houses prompted Miss George
to enter the field. She supported
Charles B. Wells in his performance
of "Frederick Lemaitre," though only
for a few months. Charles Dickson
promptly secured her to lay with
him in "Jealousy" and in "An Unde-
veloped Bud," and these two pieces
probably did more toward giving her
a recognized position than anything
that had gone before.

Her portrayal of the title role in
the latter sketch caused her to be pro-
nounced the most subtle and refined
of the ingenues in the public view,
and about that time her husband, Wil-
liam A. Brady's productions of
"The Turtle" and "Mile Fif." Sub-
sequently she was engaged for the
part of Esther in "Best Man" at the
Broadway Theater. By this time it
was agreed that Miss George possessed
every qualification, both artistic and
financial, for a starring tour, and Mr.
Brady signed a contract with her, by
the terms of which she was to head
a company under his direction. She
was introduced in the late spring in
a piece called "The Countess Chiffon."

Then Mr. Brady purchased from J.
I. C. Clark, author of Julia Marlowe's
"For Bonnie Prince Charlie," a ro-
mantic drama entitled "Her Majesty."
The production was made at the Co-
lumbia Theater, Washington, whence
it was taken to the Manhattan The-
ater, New York, where the presenta-
tion remained through the winter. She
then appeared in the play called
"Under Southern Skies."

Since the above Miss George has had
a series of pieces, including "Pretty
Peggy," in which she impersonated
the great Wellington; "The Two Or-
phans," carrying off as the blind
Lone honors in great all-star cases;
"Alibi," a pretty little comedy by
Kellie Chalmers, which she abandoned

ingenue work only: "The Marriage of
William Ashe," in which her Lady
Kitty was a piece of soulful emotional
acting; "The Richest Girl in the
World," which was abandoned also;
"Clothes," the satirical comedy in
which as Olivia Sherwood she showed
the follies of the fashionable world;
and "Divorcon," in which she cap-
tivated both London and New York.
This season Miss George is credited
with making a hit as Marion Stanton
in "A Woman's Way."

Miss Hazel Dill, instructor in the
Fillmore school of music, will lecture
in the Blanchard building tomorrow
afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Miss Dill
will talk upon expression and will il-
lustrate her discourse with appropriate
readings.

Under the direction of Mrs. Palmer
C. Reed and Carl Bronson, Estos Iona,
Garfield, dramatic soprano, and Elva
Ruth Garfield, pianiste, were heard in
a well-attended recital at Symphony
George Mulford will play a piccolo
solo.

Sara Bernhardt is now 64 years of
age. Next fall she will begin her sev-
enth tour of the United States. This
one is announced as a positive fare-
well.

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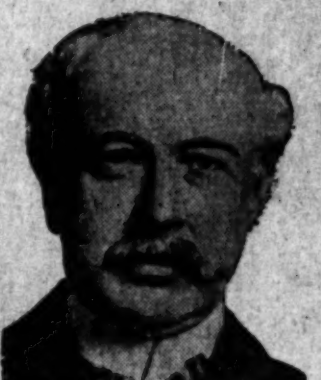
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will use is such as to endanger the life of
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VARICOSE VEINS CURE FUTURE.
Disregard for existing Hernias has cost
many lives. The smallest hernias are the
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NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES

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**Residents Do Not Care for
Paved Street.**

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CONSOLIDATION.

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venile court and were taken to Los
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Women's \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50 sample shoes, oxfords and pumps, all leathers.

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WE OWN AND OFFER WEATHER.

184	Cylinder boiled hams, 254; Premium boiled hams, 27; Oxford boiled hams, 194; star boiled hams, 204; Star hams, 16-12 avg., 20; Star hams, 16-12 avg., 20; Star hams, 12-14 avg., 20; Shield hams, 14-16 avg., 19; Shield boiled hams, 30; Angelus boiled hams, 22; Angelus, skinned, 21; Angelus, skinned, 21.	113
BARBELED MEATS—		
Rumps (each lb.)	10.00	3.50
Northern Ry. Co. of Cal. 124		
North Pacific Coast Ry. Co.	124	113
Oakland Transit Co. 124	124	113
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Oakland Water Co. 124	124	113
Omnibus Cable Ry. Co.	124	113
Electric Ry. Co. 124	124	113
Public Utility Co. 124	124	113

Springs (home suit)	14.3	7.50
Boiled pants (boonies)	14.90	8.00
Family pair	26.30	14.00
LARD—Terra, per lb.	77.00	
No. 1; Crescent lard, 1½; back fat, 1½; Turkey, 1½; Corned Beef, 1½; Moo lard, 1½; Compound lard, eastern, 9¢; Diamond C bottle lard, eastern; White Label, 10¢; Pure Lard, 10¢; Lard, 10¢ mower's brand lard, 17½; Armour's Mince, Pure		
Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co., Inc.		100%
Park & Cliff Houses Ry. Sta.		100
Park & Ocean Hotel		100
Powell St. Ry. Co.		100
San Elec. Gas & Ry. Co.		100%
Santa Fe Ry. Co.		100
S. F. O. R. N. J. Ry. Co.		100
S. P. R. R. of Cal. Div.		100
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St. V. Water Works		100
United Gas & Elec. Co.		100

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Wheat, large ^q	4.15	3.15	3.90	3.80
Barley, large ^q	4.20	4.00	3.95	3.90
Farina	4.00	3.90	3.85	3.80
Wheat, small ^q	4.10	3.10	3.85	3.75
Barley, small ^q	4.00	3.80	3.75	3.70
Farina	3.90	3.80	3.75	3.70
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Bulk, per 10-lb. bag	1.50	1.45	1.40	1.35
GRAIN AND FEED—1.50 mixed, 4.00 1.00 per 100 lbs.				
Wheat, No. 1, hard, cracked, 2.50; No. 2, 2.40; No. 3, 2.30; No. 4, 2.20; No. 5, 2.10; No. 6, 2.00; No. 7, 1.90; No. 8, 1.80; No. 9, 1.70; No. 10, 1.60; No. 11, 1.50; No. 12, 1.40; No. 13, 1.30; No. 14, 1.20; No. 15, 1.10; No. 16, 1.00; No. 17, 0.90; No. 18, 0.80; No. 19, 0.70; No. 20, 0.60; No. 21, 0.50; No. 22, 0.40; No. 23, 0.30; No. 24, 0.20; No. 25, 0.10; No. 26, 0.00; No. 27, 0.00; No. 28, 0.00; No. 29, 0.00; No. 30, 0.00; No. 31, 0.00; No. 32, 0.00; No. 33, 0.00; No. 34, 0.00; No. 35, 0.00; No. 36, 0.00; No. 37, 0.00; No. 38, 0.00; No. 39, 0.00; No. 40, 0.00; No. 41, 0.00; No. 42, 0.00; No. 43, 0.00; No. 44, 0.00; No. 45, 0.00; No. 46, 0.00; No. 47, 0.00; No. 48, 0.00; No. 49, 0.00; No. 50, 0.00; No. 51, 0.00; No. 52, 0.00; No. 53, 0.00; No. 54, 0.00; No. 55, 0.00; No. 56, 0.00; No. 57, 0.00; No. 58, 0.00; No. 59, 0.00; No. 60, 0.00; No. 61, 0.00; No. 62, 0.00; No. 63, 0.00; No. 64, 0.00; No. 65, 0.00; No. 66, 0.00; No. 67, 0.00; No. 68, 0.00; No. 69, 0.00; No. 70, 0.00; No. 71, 0.00; No. 72, 0.00; No. 73, 0.00; No. 74, 0.00; No. 75, 0.00; No. 76, 0.00; No. 77, 0.00; No. 78, 0.00; No. 79, 0.00; No. 80, 0.00; No. 81, 0.00; No. 82, 0.00; No. 83, 0.00; No. 84, 0.00; No. 85, 0.00; No. 86, 0.00; No. 87, 0.00; No. 88, 0.00; No. 89, 0.00; No. 90, 0.00; No. 91, 0.00; No. 92, 0.00; No. 93, 0.00; No. 94, 0.00; No. 95, 0.00; No. 96, 0.00; No. 97, 0.00; No. 98, 0.00; No. 99, 0.00; No. 100, 0.00; No. 101, 0.00; No. 102, 0.00; No. 103, 0.00; No. 104, 0.00; No. 105, 0.00; No. 106, 0.00; No. 107, 0.00; No. 108, 0.00; No. 109, 0.00; No. 110, 0.00; No. 111, 0.00; No. 112, 0.00; No. 113, 0.00; No. 114, 0.00; No. 115, 0.00; No. 116, 0.00; No. 117, 0.00; No. 118, 0.00; No. 119, 0.00; No. 120, 0.00; No. 121, 0.00; No. 122, 0.00; No. 123, 0.00; No. 124, 0.00; No. 125, 0.00; No. 126, 0.00; No. 127, 0.00; No. 128, 0.00; No. 129, 0.00; No. 130, 0.00; No. 131, 0.00; No. 132, 0.00; No. 133, 0.00; No. 134, 0.00; No. 135, 0.00; No. 136, 0.00; No. 137, 0.00; No. 138, 0.00; No. 139, 0.00; No. 140, 0.00; No. 141, 0.00; No. 142, 0.00; No. 143, 0.00; No. 144, 0.00; No. 145, 0.00; No. 146, 0.00; No. 147, 0.00; No. 148, 0.00; No. 149, 0.00; No. 150, 0.00; No. 151, 0.00; No. 152, 0.00; No. 153, 0.00; No. 154, 0.00; No. 155, 0.00; No. 156, 0.00; No. 157, 0.00; No. 158, 0.00; No. 159, 0.00; No. 160, 0.00; No. 161, 0.00; No. 162, 0.00; No. 163, 0.00; No. 164, 0.00; No. 165, 0.00; No. 166, 0.00; No. 167, 0.00; No. 168, 0.00; No. 169, 0.00; No. 170, 0.00; No. 171, 0.00; No. 172, 0.00; No. 173, 0.00; No. 174, 0.00; No. 175, 0.00; No. 176, 0.00; No. 177, 0.00; No. 178, 0.00; No. 179, 0.00; No. 180, 0.00; No. 181, 0.00; No. 182, 0.00; No. 183, 0.00; No. 184, 0.00; No. 185, 0.00; No. 186, 0.00; No. 187, 0.00; No. 188, 0.00; No. 189, 0.00; No. 190, 0.00; No. 191, 0.00; No. 192, 0.00; No. 193, 0.00; No. 194, 0.00; No. 195, 0.00; No. 196, 0.00; No. 197, 0.00; No. 198, 0.00; No. 199, 0.00; No. 200, 0.00; No. 201, 0.00; No. 202, 0.00; No. 203, 0.00; No. 204, 0.00; No. 205, 0.00; No. 206, 0.00; No. 207, 0.00; No. 208, 0.00; No. 209, 0.00; No. 210, 0.00; No. 211, 0.00; No. 212, 0.00; No. 213, 0.00; No. 214, 0.00; No. 215, 0.00; No. 216, 0.00; No. 217, 0.00; No. 218, 0.00; No. 219, 0.00; No. 220, 0.00; No. 221, 0.00; No. 222, 0.00; No. 223, 0.00; No. 224, 0.00; No. 225, 0.00; No. 226, 0.00; No. 227, 0.00; No. 228, 0.00; No. 229, 0.00; No. 230, 0.00; No. 231, 0.00; No. 232, 0.00; No. 233, 0.00; No. 234, 0.00; No. 235, 0.00; No. 236, 0.00; No. 237, 0.00; No. 238, 0.00; No. 239, 0.00; No. 240, 0.00; No. 241, 0.00; No. 242, 0.00; No. 243, 0.00; No. 244, 0.00; No. 245, 0.00; No. 246, 0.00; No. 247, 0.00; No. 248, 0.00; No. 249, 0.00; No. 250, 0.00; No. 251, 0.00; No. 252, 0.00; No. 253, 0.00; No. 254, 0.00; No. 255, 0.00; No. 256, 0.00; No. 257, 0.00; No. 258, 0.00; No. 259, 0.00; No. 260, 0.00; No. 261, 0.00; No. 262, 0.00; No. 263, 0.00; No. 264, 0.00; No. 265, 0.00; No. 266, 0.00; No. 267, 0.00; No. 268, 0.00; No. 269, 0.00; No. 270, 0.00; No. 271, 0.00; No. 272, 0.00; No. 273, 0.00; No. 274,				

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during the day some new issues made their appearance. 1000 shares of American Cruise sailing at 50 cents. Ocean opened at 2 1/2 and fell down to 2 1/4. California Delivery purchased at 1/2 over bid, possibly at 1/2 and closing at the same figure. The closing bid price was Mexican Petroleum common made considerable gain, opening at 3/4 and selling at 1 1/4. E. F. Associated was off its lead, the daily sale being made at 48.00.

In figure the amount of business done was to the average.

SAN FRANCISCO LIST.

Worldfield Consolidated Takes a Drop and Many Other Shares Fall Off.

May Join.

Special Service to The Times by B. F. Taylor
No. 112 West Third street.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—This was the first day Worldfield has not made a net gain since the 1st. It closed tonight with a loss of 7 1/2 cents. It was purely in sympathy with the New York market.

Joseph Ball Company

Security Bldg.

activity of the trading was at \$1 a share-
 rence was up 2 points. Reaction was off 1;
 were the only changes in the Gold-
 telmont was up 5 points. Midway lost 2
 Namara sold ex-dividend. The cents a
 ore, closed 2 bid. Tosewah Mining com-
 bid up 2 cents and no stock offered.
 Nevada Hills was off 1, Round Mountain
 ating Silver Bull and Lion Bullheads were
 hanging.

re was the case yesterday in the Comstock
 highest prices were at the opening. Ophir
 unchanged. Mexican was up 1. Consoli-
 dated Virginia was down 1. The cen-
 ts and Union sold on the new basis.

Trading in divisions was light. The
 movement in divisions was light. The
 and Mining Exchange and in some
 cases, it is a plan of conso-
 lidation has been worked out.

The following are the closing bid and asked
 prices:

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Cents a Share The Price of Second Block

Midway-Maricopa Crude Oil Co.,
 INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENT CO.,
 1012-1013-1014 Union Trust Bldg.,
 Fourth & Spring Sts, Los Angeles.

Our board of directors has authorized a
 public offering of our treasury stock at

35 Cents a Share

Los Angeles-McKittick Oil Co.

1	Michigan Mts. . .	24	224 1/2 W. Hellman Bldg., 4th & Main Sts.
1	Minerals . . .	24	
1	Montana . . .	24	
1	Practition. 47	24	
1	St. Jack . . .	24	
1	St. Louis . . .	24	
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2. As additional security for the bonds deposited with the Trustee \$6,125,000 per cent common stock of The Seattle Electric Co. \$1,637,000 par value of the common stock of The Tacoma Power Company.

3. At present market prices of the stock of the Coast Power Company there is an equity value over the bonds of approximately \$6,700,000.

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CAUSE OF WEAKNESS IS CLEARLY SHOWN.

United States Navy Affects the Whole Humanity Condition is in the Copper Trade—Additions Export is Depressing.

[LATEST NIGHT REPORT.]

THE April 13—Specific causes were responsible for the weakness of the animal was apathetic. Coming from the horse to realize, producing

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The Coalinga National Petroleum Company has 80 acres in the very heart of proven territory of heavy producers. The Company's Price is 25¢ advance to \$1.50 very soon.

We have a few clients who bought this stock issue and willing to take profits. I will sell this limited supply last, at

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CANARIES SING IN COURTROOM.

Melodious Evidence in Suit Over Songsters.

Two Birds, Declared Dead, Are Found in Sack.

Fight for Pets Funny Sequel of Women's Trade.

The melodious notes of canaries filled the courtroom of Justice Sumner yesterday afternoon. The twitters, chirps and thrills were quite out of harmony with the nature of the case, which had caused them to be carried to the little New High-street tribunal.

Mrs. Anna Brusher, who proved the owner of the songsters, and Mrs. Christian Bateman transacted business involving more than \$10,000 without a hitch, but fell out over two birds. The latter had possession and considered that ten-tenths of the law. It was necessary to invoke the court to straighten out the tussle.

Mrs. Brusher formerly owned an apartment house at No. 580 North Hill street. She heard the call of the wild when springtime came and fell in with a proposition to trade her property for a ten-acre ranch which Mrs. Bateman owned at Monrovia. The latter thought she would like a taste of city life and the deal was consummated.

Mrs. Brusher did not take her two pet birds with her when she moved to the ranch. One of them was too sick to risk taking it on such a trip, and the other was left with its mate for company. The new rancher soon longed for the music of her pets and made a special trip to the city to get them. "They are dead," she was told, when she called at the apartment house. She did not believe this for she heard a familiar chirping. There were near hostilities, but Mrs. Brusher finally decided to appeal to the authorities.

She told her story to Deputy District Attorney Keyes and he advised her to have an officer go to the house and make a formal demand. Deputy Constable Miklausch was assigned to go after the canaries.

"They've already been sent to the city incinerator, both of them having died," he says. Mrs. Brusher said: "The cages are here; you can have them."

SHOWN EMPTY CAGES. The constable was led into the house and shown the empty cages. The officer's keen scent caused him to believe that the birds had been removed only a short time before.

"When did they die?" he asked. He was told that the birds expired several days ago.

"There is evidence here that the birds were taken out of these cages less than an hour ago," he declared. He had no authority to make further search and left the place.

When informed that he had not been successful, Mrs. Brusher swore out a search warrant in Justice Sumner's court, and the officer was sent back to the apartment house, with instructions to search it from top to bottom.

"I've authority to look for these canaries until I find them, so you might as well deliver them at once," he told Mrs. Bateman. She again led him to the empty cages. He did not stop with glancing at them, but proceeded on through the house to the dining-room.

He heard faint chirps and followed the sounds. As he approached the sideboard the sound grew more distinct. He pulled out one of the drawers and from it extracted a paper sack, which contained the little chirpers. They were placed in their cages and taken to the court. Mrs. Bateman was requested to accompany him and she did so.

Mrs. Bateman apparently did not relish the proposition of facing an examination and left, saying that she relinquished all of her claims. The birds were placed in the constable's desk to await the appearance of Mrs. Brusher. They soon became acquainted with the strange faces and seemed to exert themselves to fill every nook of the room with their song.

Mrs. Brusher greeted her pets as though they were long lost children. She was permitted to take them with her, and went down the street carrying a cage in each hand.

A VAGRANT, YET RICH. Wife's Divorce Petition Paradoxical in Terms—Love Each Other, But Desire Freedom.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) ST. LOUIS, April 20.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) Joseph C. Pratte, banker and lawyer of Butte, Mont., formerly member of the Missouri Legislature, could not resist the temptation on his journey to New York to stop off in St. Louis to see his children, who are living with their mother here. But his wife learned he was "within the jurisdiction." She could not forego the desire to sue for divorce and today, while Pratte was waiting for his son and daughter at the Maryland Hotel, a ballist stepped in and read him the bill of complaint.

Well supplied with money and bent on selling \$50,000 worth of bonds in New York, Pratte, who is secretary and counsel of the Montana Trust Company, which he says is a \$750,000 corporation, is charged with being a vagrant in the divorce petition, which also alleges in the next breath that he is the owner of great properties.

Though they are candidates for divorces, the Prattes both say they love each other. They could not clearly explain why they were willing to be divorced.

Pratte is a relative of Park Von Wedelstaedt, the "Barry Wall" of St. Louis, who became deranged on the streets Monday night.

TAGGART IS CANDIDATE. INDIANAPOLIS, April 20.—Thomas Taggart, former chairman of the Democratic National Committee, formally announced today that he would be a candidate before the General Assembly next year to succeed Albert J. Beveridge in the United States Senate.

ALDRICH DIVORCE SUIT. COLORADO SPRINGS (Colo.) April 20.—Mrs. Florence M. Aldrich filed suit for divorce today before the District Court here from Sherwood Aldrich, the millionaire mining man of this city and New York. Description is alleged.

Diarrhoea should be cured without loss of time by a medicine which, like Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, not only cures promptly, but produces no unpleasant after effects. It never fails and is pleasant and safe to take. Sold by all dealers.—Adv.

PLAN ROSE FESTIVAL.

Society of King's Daughters of South Pasadena Will Hold Affair—New Street Lamps.

SOUTH PASADENA, April 20.—The society of King's Daughters in this city is preparing a "flower festival" to be held May 14 in the adjoining garden of Miss Marie Crow and Miss Beatrice Duff, corner Spruce and Fair Oaks avenue, the money thus earned to be used to finish paying for a piano in the Children's Day Nursery, No. 132 North Clarence avenue, Boyle Heights. There will be a flower play by children, music all afternoon, candy and aprons will be for sale and tea served. A number of prominent society ladies will act as patronesses.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Church of the Neighborhood, Congregational, will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Munson T. Case, No. 1417 Electric avenue.

Residents of the east side have started a subscription for the purpose of assisting in defraying the expense of installing ornamental street lamps on the four corners of Mission street and Fair Oaks avenue. Permission has been granted by the City Council for the lamps.

O. W. Kuencer, No. 1105 Fair Oaks avenue has gone to San Francisco on a business trip.

Miss Beulah Wright, professor of oratory and dramatic art of U.S.C. gave several readings at assembly period in the High School yesterday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex McCoy, No. 1123 Diamond avenue are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a little daughter.

KEEP JOBS. BOARD RETAINS MANY TEACHERS.

LONG BEACH SCHOOL TRUSTEES MAKE SOME CHANGES.

Councilmen Who Expect Promoters to Ask for Franchise for "Ye Old Mill" Find That Application is Hit on Eye.

LONG BEACH, April 20.—At a session which lasted until midnight, the Board of School Trustees last night selected most of the teachers for the public schools of this district for the term of 1910-11. This is done in order that those who contemplate changes may look out for other positions. The board reflected all of the principals and nearly all of the present force of teachers.

Those of the High School faculty not selected are: Prof. R. G. Coffin, athletic director and teacher of mathematical drawing; Prof. A. E. Paine, history; Warren Love, mathematics and surveying; Miss Grace Lochridge resigned as teacher of English and Miss Shaker was elected to succeed her; Miss Edith Whitman, teacher of arts and crafts was given a year's leave of absence, her place being filled by Miss Barnhelle. Sup. Girard was instructed to open negotiations with various colleges for an athletic director.

Resignations of Misses Frances G. Conrad, Sarah McLean, Ruby King, Marjorie Curtis, Ida Cary and Bertha Province were accepted and partial selections made for the vacancies. Among these were Misses Meekie Linsmucka, Martha Gray, Leigh Farrow, Elsie Ricker and Harriet Sloan, Mrs. Ahmed Walid was selected librarian for the fifth time.

COUNCIL IS SURPRISED. Recently promoters applied to Council for a lease of water frontage near Cedar Walk for a concession to be known as "Ye Old Mill." They asked ten-year lease, agreeing to pay annually two per cent. of gross receipts. It developed, however, that under the State law, a franchise was necessary and the promoters were asked to conform to this. Council met last night to act on the proposition and was astounded when the promoters filed for a twenty-year franchise for a pleasure pier, with the right to lease it for amusement enterprises and concessions for which two per cent. would be paid after the sixth year. It was contained regarding the "Old Mill." Council discussed the application for some time and then referred it to the City Engineer to see if city's rights were protected, a police way of denying the application, which if it is granted, will have to be amended.

POLICE ARE SUSPICIOUS. J. B. Bastian was arrested on suspicion by the police this morning, he having a gold watch and a fountain pen which he was trying to sell for trivial sums. Bastian claims to be from Arizona. He had several testimonials written on letter heads of local merchants, but they were unsigned. He was taken to Los Angeles this afternoon for a possible identification. Badges arrived here for use next week at the celebration of the ninety-first anniversary of Odd Fellowship by the I.O.O.F. and Rebekahs of St. Louis, Cal. The picnic is set for April 26. The badge consists of a medallion bearing a picture of the auditorium and pier, with ribbons of the emblematic colors of the order appended.

Lynn Cowan, a workman at the Craig plant while investigating the working of a new piece of machinery got his eyes too close to the revolving crank, which struck him in the eye, inflicting an injury which physicians say is serious.

REACH NO CONCLUSION. The police and Civil Service Commission and City Attorney today wrestled with the status of Capt. Clayton McCord of the police force, who the Civil Service Commission says, was legislated out of office when the Council abolished the position. The City Attorney held that McCord was under the charter entitled to his rights as a patrolman, but the commission could not be convinced and the conference adjourned without arriving at any conclusion.

IN NAMELESS GRAVE. Several parties today attempted identification of the flatter found yesterday, but all failed. Among these was Arthur Payne of Ontario, who thought the body might be that of J. Daniel, missing for three weeks. The body was buried today in the Potter's field.

The annual Fraternal Aid picnic of Southern California will be held in Long Beach June 4. The dedication made yesterday by the district meeting in session at Santa Ana.

The City Council will make arrangements during the coming week for a two-weeks' trip of the municipal band to interior cities for a concert advertising tour. Bakersfield and Fresno will be visited and also San Bernardino, Riverside, Redlands and Pomona.

The extra expense will be about \$1000. An instantaneous heater at noon today set fire to a bathroom in an apartment-house at No. 414 Elm avenue. The blaze was extinguished with a damage of \$75, and nervous shocks to the tenants.

On the Alert

To safeguard the interests of our customers and ourselves, it becomes necessary for us to see that every article sold in this establishment possesses the merits covered by our guarantee—(that is)—style—newest; quality—best; price—lowest. Hence, always

ON THE ALERT



No Woman With an Eye to Economy Should Overlook This STUPENDOUS TAILORED SUIT SALE

500 suits in all, to be offered Thursday at prices that barely cover the cost of materials. A fortunate purchase of this entire collection—not a jumbled assortment of odds and ends and job lots. They are all new suits, very recently made up. Our garment buyer, just returned from the New York market, contracted for these some time ago—bought up all the material a famous maker had—ordered the suits made up at "our" special price—and now they're here, ready for your choosing. Worth at least a half more than the sale prices. Finest linings and finishings. Beautifully cut—skirts all liberally full. Too many models to describe—but they are all strictly new and thoroughly up-to-date.

\$11.95

\$15 to \$18.50 Should Be Their Price

At \$11.95 today you may expect really sensational bargains—suits that would readily sell at \$15 up to \$18.50. The wanted worsted weaves fabrics, in navy, black, tan and gray. Semi-fitting coats, 3 to 5 button fronts. Skirts cut after the latest patterns.

\$11.95

\$14.95

Suits That Should Be Marked \$20 Go At Just a splendid array of them, made up of excellent serge and worsted materials. All the most wanted shades of tan and gray, as also many darker colors. Semi-fitted and fitted coats; well hanging, full cut skirts. Astounding values at the price named for Thursday.

\$14.95

\$19.95

Suits That Should Be Marked \$25 At Only The majority of this purchase of 500 suits is in this division—in fact, there are over 300 to go at \$19.95. Plain and invisible striped Serges, Diagonal Worsteds and Vigoreaux. Any shade you way desire will be found here. Most wanted style coats and skirts, handsomely tailored, beautifully finished and well trimmed.

\$19.95

French Chinas 1/3 Off

A piece of Haviland's Limoges French china is an addition to any table, and when one can get it at a third less than the usual price the opportunity isn't often neglected. The delicacy of the pink spray decorations, with the French mat gold border, is irresistible, and the Ranson shapes are always good. Among these odd pieces are Meat Platters, Fruit Bowls, Teas, Chocolate Plates, Sauce Boats, Sugar Bowls and Bouillon Cups. Sale in basement.

From the Art Dept.

From now on many hours will be spent on the porch, reading or doing fancy work. For the latter our Art Department is full of suggestions. Royal Society Art Needlework Packages contain sufficient material for working waistcoats, corset covers and many other filmy summertime garments. Select yours now.

BURLAP PILLOW TOPS in many new patterns that are ideal for bungalow, beach or porch are shown at 48c. First Floor, Hill Street.

Strong Trunks

When one goes for a journey it's a consolation to know that the trunks holding their baggage will not be bursted in some out-of-the-way place. These are the kind we have for you here. We have ordered only the kind that will stand the knocks and tumbles received in trips over the country.

Maderite Trunks

Made especially for us, they are guaranteed to stand the baggage man's abuse. Several sizes and prices: 34 to 38 inch, \$10, \$12, \$13.50. "MADERITE" cowhide suitcases, best in the West, 24 inches, \$10, 28 inches, \$12, 32 inches, \$15. "MADERITE" hand bags, genuine cowhide, 12, 14, 16 and 18 inches, \$5 to \$10.

Rattan Trunks

The only excess baggage saving! Light as a feather and as strong as iron. Complete assortment, 26 to 38 inches, brown canvas or black enameled leather bound, full leather lined, two trays, deep box. Canvas—36-inch size, \$26; 38-inch, \$37; 40-inch, \$38. Leather—36-inch size, \$36; 40-inch, \$39.

MILLINERY

The millinery sale is still in full swing, and it's positively enticing to go through the department. More hats—more colors and combinations than seems possible for one house to accumulate, is on display on every side. Prices, right here at the beginning of the season, lower than you imagine.

Trimmed Hats \$7.50

Smart hand-made turbans, close-fitting suit hats and great, big picture hats are here together.

French Pattern Hats Beauties at \$25

New Shapes in Un-trimmed Hats \$3.95

Flowers for Millinery. 50c

Underpriced Millinery

(Near Boys' Clothing Dept.)

One Special From Many Others:

SUIT HATS at \$2.95

\$5 to \$6.50 Val. \$2.95

Smart hats for suit and auto wear—turbans and toques of hair band, trimmed with minkie rosettes or wings. Black or colored.

CORSETS

and Corset Accessories

Sometimes more than just a Corset is needed to get the proper effect. Braces are considered a necessary adjunct to the well dressed woman. The Sahlin form for slender figures emphasizes the side and the dainty ruffles that hold lingerie waists out from the form are much used. We show all these.

Royal Regents \$5

High-grade coutil French batiste and satin Finish Broche in many new models. All sizes.

ROYAL REGENT CORSETS for all figures and in all grades.

One of the best makes in the corset world selling for \$1 to \$15

SAHLIN FORMS, of which we spoke, are fine for slender figures and come in coutil, batiste and silk brocade batiste. These sell for \$1, \$1.50 and \$3.50

BRASSIERES—Only the best-fitting kinds, 50c, \$1, \$1.50.

EMBROIDERED RUFFLES, in dainty patterns—the kind that will wash—25c, 50c, 75c, \$1 and \$1.25.

UNDERWEAR

Muslin Garments For the Women.

75c, \$1, \$1.50

Women can always use an extra piece of underwear and to be able to pick up odd pieces at unusually low prices is a pleasure. And to know that they are of good quality and correct fit is a positive satisfaction. These are the garments we offer you today.

GOWNS in high or "V" neck, slip-over, empire and dainty "Merry Widow" styles, trimmed with good lace and embroideries at 75c, \$1 and \$1.50.

PETTICOATS of muslin and cambric, trimmed with lace or embroidery; also many plain, neat tucked trimmed garments at 75c, \$1 and \$1.50.

DRAWERS in a select line of circular and regulation styles—splendid fitting garments, daintily trimmed for \$1, \$1.50 and \$2.50.

CORSET COVERS—the plainer as well as the fancy medallion trimmed for \$1, \$1.50 and \$2.50.

COMBINATION SUITS that are well worth your attention—only the best fitting and most perfectly made being offered by us. Good values at \$1, \$1.50 and \$2.50.

Table Linens

Some of the new linens at reasonable prices. Linens of that look well and last. Just a few here.

German Linens

Homemade and machine-made linens, 12x18, 12x24, 12x30, 12x36, 12x42, 12x48, 12x54, 12x60, 12x66, 12x72, 12x78, 12x84, 12x90, 12x96, 12x102, 12x108, 12x114, 12x120, 12x126, 12x132, 12x138, 12x144, 12x150, 12x156, 12x162, 12x168, 12x174, 12x180, 12x186, 12x192, 12x198, 12x204, 12x210, 12x216, 12x222, 12x228, 12x234, 12x240, 12x246, 12x252, 12x258, 12x264, 12x270, 12x276, 12x282, 12x288, 12x294, 12x300, 12x306, 12x312, 12x318, 12x324, 12x330, 12x336, 12x342, 12x348, 12x354, 12x360, 12x366, 12x372, 12x378, 12x384, 12x390, 12x396, 12x402, 12x408, 12x414, 12x420, 12x426, 12x432, 12x438, 12x444, 12x450, 12x456, 12x462, 12x468, 12x474, 12x480, 12x486, 12x492, 12x498, 12x504, 12x510, 12x516, 12x522, 12x528, 12x534, 12x540, 12x546, 12x552, 12x558, 12x564, 12x570, 12x576, 12x582, 12x588, 12x594, 12x600, 12x606, 12x612, 12x618, 12x624, 12x630, 12x636, 12x642, 12x648, 12x654, 12x660, 12x666, 12x672, 12x678, 12x684, 12x690, 12x696, 12x702, 12x708, 12x714, 12x720, 12x726, 12x732, 12x738, 12x744, 12x750, 12x756, 12x762, 12x768, 12x774, 12x780, 12x786, 12x792, 12x798, 12x804, 12x810, 12x816, 12x822, 12x828, 12x834, 12x840, 12x846, 12x852, 12x858, 12x864, 12x870, 12x876, 12x882, 12x888, 12x894, 12x900, 12x906, 12x912, 12x918, 12x924, 12x930, 12x936, 12x942, 12x948, 12x954, 12x960, 12x966, 12x972, 12x978, 12x984, 12x990, 12x996, 12x1002, 12x1008, 12x1014, 12x1020, 12x1026, 12x1032, 12x1038, 12x1044, 12x1050, 12x1056, 12x1062, 12x1068, 12x1074, 12x1080, 12x1086, 12x1092, 12x1098, 12x1104, 12x1110, 12x1116, 12x1122, 12x1128, 12x1134, 12x1140, 12x1146, 12x1152, 12x1158, 12x1164, 12x1170, 12x1176, 12x1182, 12x1188, 12x1194, 12x1200, 12x1206, 12x1212, 12x1218, 12x1224, 12x1230, 12x1236, 12x1242, 12x1248, 12x1254, 12x1260, 12x1266, 12x1272, 12x1278, 12x1284, 12x1290, 12x1296, 12x1302, 12x1308, 12x1314, 12x1320, 12x1326, 12x1332, 12x1338, 12x1344, 12x1350, 12x1356, 12x1362, 12x1368, 12x1374, 12x1380, 12x1386, 12x1392, 12x1398, 12x1404, 12x1410, 12x1416, 12x1422, 12x1428, 12x1434, 12x1440, 12x1446, 12x1452, 12x1458, 12x1464, 12x1470, 12x1476, 12x1482, 12x1488, 12x1494, 12x1500, 12x1506, 12x1512, 12x1518, 12x1524, 12x1530, 12x1536, 12x1542, 12x1548, 12x1554, 12x1560, 12x1566, 12x1572, 12x1578, 12x1584, 12x1590, 12x1596, 12x1602, 12x1608, 12x1614, 12x1620, 12x1626, 12x1632, 12x1638, 12x1644, 12x1650, 12x1656, 12x1662, 12x1668, 12x1674, 12x1680, 12x1686, 12x1692, 12x1698, 12x1704, 12x1710, 12x1716, 12x1722, 12x1728, 12x1734, 12x1740, 12x1746, 12x1752, 12x1758, 12x1764, 12x1770, 12x1776, 12x1782, 12x1788, 12x1794, 12x1800, 12x1806, 12x1812, 12x1818, 12x1824, 12x1830, 12x1836, 12x1842, 12x1848, 12x1854, 12x1860, 12x1866, 12x1872, 12x1878, 12x1884, 12x1890, 12x1896, 12x1902, 12x1908, 12x1914, 12x1920, 12x1926, 12x1932, 12x1938, 12x1944, 12x1950, 12x1956, 12x1962, 12x1968, 12x1974, 12x1980, 12x1986, 12x1992, 12x1998, 12x2004, 12x2010, 12x2016, 12x2022, 12x2028, 12x2034, 12x2040, 12x2046, 12x2052, 12x2058, 12x2064, 12x2070, 12x2076, 12x2082, 12x2088, 12x2094, 12x2100, 12x2106, 12x2112, 12x2118, 12x2124, 12x2130, 12x2136, 12x2142, 12x2148, 12x2154, 12x2160, 12x2166, 12x2172, 12x2178, 12x2184, 12x2190, 12x2196, 12x2202, 12x2208, 12x2214, 12x2220, 12x2226, 12x2232, 12x2238, 12x2244, 12x2250, 12x2256, 12x2262, 12x2268, 12x2274, 12x2280, 12x2286, 12x2292, 12x2298, 12x2304, 12x2310, 12x2316, 12x2322, 12x2328, 12x2334, 12x2340, 12x2346, 12x2352, 12x2358, 12x2364, 12x2370, 12x2376, 12x2382, 12x2388, 12x2394, 12x2400, 12x2406, 12x2412, 12x2418, 12x2424, 12x2430, 12x2436, 12x2442, 12x2448, 12x2454, 12x2460, 12x2466, 12x2472, 12x2478, 12x2484, 12x2490, 12x2496, 12x2502, 12x2508, 12x2514, 12x2520, 12x2526, 12x2532, 12x2538, 12x2544, 12x2550, 12x2556, 12x2562, 12x2568, 12x2574, 12x2580, 12x2586, 12x2592, 12x2598, 12x2604, 12